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NATION'S CAPITAL IS PARADISE OF FINISHING SCHOOL

Young Ladies' Seminaries Cluster About Social Advantages of Washington

NOT BOTHERED BY SCIENCE

Object Is to Teach Young Women Social Poise and Graces of Hostess

SIGHT-SEEING REGULAR COURSE

Points of Interest About Washington Haunted by Groups of Giggly Girls

BY FREDERIC J. HASKIN

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 17.—

In addition to making the laws of the nation, Washington has come in for social pedagogy. There are more young ladies' seminaries and finishing schools here than in any other city in the United States. You find them crowding every section of the city, possessing an austere exterior to the inquisitive male, but overflowing with the frivolous femininity from all over the country. Carefree maidens look your progress on the sidewalk, stare in your car at the symphony concert and occupy your favorite pew in church. Incidentally, they cause the Washington retailer to do a flourishing business in blouses and neckwear and ice cream sodas.

Strong for Lady Teaching

While New England and the northern states have been increasing and building up their women's colleges, turning out more and more lawyers, chemists and electrical engineers, the south and middle states have encouraged institutions which teach their daughters how to shake hands and entertain in a drawing room. In Washington, which is situated between the two sections, the seminaries have found an ideal background. The government departments and buildings afford a liberal education in themselves without the tedious application of text-books, and there are certain social advantages in the national capital which are available nowhere else.

The National Museum, for example, affords a many-sided classroom, covering a wide range of subjects all the way from geology and natural history to chemistry and taxonomy. There are also the Corcoran Art gallery, possessing tremendous advantages for the art student, and the library of congress, containing the third largest collection of books in the world. Most of the seminaries have special days which they devote to sight-seeing, and almost any afternoon you are apt to come across a group of girls chattering in what are supposed to be hushed voices on their way through some public building.

Course in Sightseeing

In the warmer weather they go to Arlington and Mount Vernon. One seminary keeps a record bearing the name of each girl and the long list of government institutions and places to be seen. As she visits each one, it is crossed off the list and the date recorded thus enabling the teachers to keep track of each pupil. By the end of the year she is supposed to have covered everything worth seeing in the capital.

Congressional debates are usually well attended by seminary girls. They fill the galleries with a noise and chatter illly suppressed by the chaperones until they are seated; in

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TEUTONIC ACTIVITY ONLY THE PRELUDE TO A GREAT OFFENSIVE

BY WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS
(Manager Paris Bureau of the United Press.)
NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Has the long anticipated big offensive begun along the western front? Are the daily smashes in Artois and Champagne the prelude to an early attempt to pierce the lines and the start of a drive toward Paris, Calais or Cologne? If not, what is the meaning of the hot fighting now going on in France?

Despite the continuous pounding of artillery all along the line, and the spirited clashes of infantry for the possession of certain sections of trenches, the indications are that the big offensive, from either side, is still some distance off. Apparently both Germany and the allies are jockeying for position, playing for the inside track.

There is no doubt but that Germany is expecting the allies to launch a terrific punch against her in the spring. This blow, she reasons, after looking at the map, is likely to fall in Champagne and in Artois, north of Arras, or that vicinity.

French Would Break "L"
The battle line is shaped something like the letter L. If the German line can be broken over an extended front along the bottom of the L (in the Champagne) and along the top of the L (around Arras) the forces holding the corner will have to retire, even though unattacked, lest they should be cut off by a puncture of the two drives beginning in the Champagne and Artois regions.

This is probably the explanation of the frenzied attacks hurled by the Germans against the allies in these two regions. They wish to prevent the French, getting a good toe-hold from which to make the spring. Last September the French worked several weeks digging additional trenches back of their first line in Champagne, facilitating the move which resulted in a gain of some three miles along a fifteen mile front. The Germans are undoubtedly trying to harass the allies.

Designs on Paris?
On the other hand the French are undoubtedly prepared for a big German offensive. It is believed inevitable. It is said in Paris that German public opinion at home will demand action in the western theater of war, and French plans have, beyond any doubt, been made to meet the attack. This may come somewhere in the Artois or in the Flanders region, in an effort to reach the Channel; in the Compiègne, Soissons; or Champagne districts, with Paris as the objective, or both may come together. Or—and surprise in France would not be great were this to prove true—the Germans might seek a new route to Paris from the eastern frontier.

In any event it seems little likely that any really serious offensive will be undertaken by either side until the weatherman turns on enough good weather to make the handling of artillery easy.

The present fighting in France, therefore, seems to be only sharp preliminary clashes of armies struggling for the advantage in a double offensive now seemingly certain.

RUSS FRENZIEDLY CELEBRATE FALL OF TURK FORTRESS

Grand Duke Nicholas Again National Hero Following the Fall of the City of Erzerum

TURKS PLANS ARE HIT HARD
Enver Pasha Probably Will Abandon Egyptian Campaign with Slav Spring Drive Imminent

PETROGRAD, Feb. 17.—The capture of Pzemyel occurred in Petrograd occurred today, following confirmation of reports of the capture of Erzerum.

Great crowds marched through the streets, waving the Russian colors and chanting hymns. Thousands attended Te Deum services in the great Kazan cathedral while other thousands, standing outside in the snow, offered up prayers for the Grand Duke Nicholas, again the national hero.

The conquest of Erzerum, the first important Russian victory since the retreat from the Carpathians began nearly a year ago, has stirred the Russian people to great depths of patriotism. The newspapers today declared the grand duke's triumph only the prelude to greater victories that will carry the czar's armies sweeping back through Poland and Galicia before summer.

Details Lacking
Because of meager communications from the Caucasus region, details of the final fighting preceding the fall of the great Turkish fortress are lacking here. One dispatch said that the Turks were fleeing westward, abandoning part of their artillery. This was taken to mean that the larger part of the Turkish garrison, variously estimated at from 80,000 to 160,000 men, has escaped.

Knell For Turks in Persia
The capture of Erzerum means the collapse of all Turkish plans of conquest in Persia, military men here believe, and possibly will force the Turks to abandon their plans to invade Egypt. With a British army, soon to be heavily reinforced, fighting only 110 miles from Bagdad and the grand duke's forces moving westward through Armenia in a spring drive.

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EIGHTY NOT TOO MANY IN CAR IS VALIER'S OPINION

Car with Seating Capacity of 34 Can Carry 75 or 80 Without Being Crowded Too Much He Says

WEATHER BUREAU RECORDS READ

City Produces Averages to Show That January Was Warmer and Finer Than Usual

ENGINEER PRAISES THE LINE

Expert Employed by Company Says It Is Better Service Than Usual in Cities This Size

Seventy-five or eighty passengers in a car with seating capacity for thirty-four is not over-crowding, in the opinion of Superintendent Peter Valier of the local street car system, expressed this morning at the hearing before Railway Commissioner Alexander in the city hall. Mr. Valier was the chief witness this morning, called by Attorney George H. Gordon for the company.

Hearing Ends
The hearing concluded shortly before one o'clock this afternoon, with a statement by Attorney Gordon, counsel for the company. Mr. Gordon stated that in the three years since the Wisconsin Railway Light and Power company has owned the local property, it has had but five lawsuits, three of which were non-suited by the court, and in two of which verdicts were found for the company.

Peter Riegger, auditor of the company, preceded Mr. Gordon, testifying as to the present schedule.

An incident of the closing session was a statement by F. W. Kassebaum, engineer employed by the company, that on the only occasion on which he had boarded a north side car during rush hours there were 88 passengers. Previously he had testified that between 6 o'clock and 6:30 on the day of his observation there were but 53 standing passengers on three cars passing Third and Vine street.

Mr. Valier was questioned at length by City Attorney J. E. Higbee concerning the equipment of the company, "Long Annie", most famous car on the system, has been relegated except on circus days and during fair week, Mr. Valier said. "Long Annie" in winter time sweeps her motors to the snow sweeper, the superintendent declared. The ancient car, he said, was constructed out of two single truck cars many years ago.

Wants Through Service

City Attorney Higbee's questioning this morning indicated that he favors through service to Fourth and Main streets for the Twenty-third street cars. He asked Mr. Valier if double-tracking on Main street east of Twelfth would not make this feasible, and Mr. Valier admitted it was possible, with a change in the turn-out switch on the Twenty-third street line. Mr. Higbee also asked if it were not possible to confer the Oak Grove line into a stub, transferring at Main street.

In this connection Mr. Valier said that such a plan had been tried but abandoned because a woman living at the corner of Twelfth and Main streets had protested strenuously against the noise. He said the plan was not very successful, however.

Read Weather Averages

Records of the weather bureau were introduced by the city this morning to refute the claim made yesterday and today by Mr. Valier that December and January were exceptional months from a weather standpoint.

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Badger Students Urged Not To Judge William Orpet Unjustly



MARIAN LAMBERT.

Marian Lambert, a high school girl, of Lake Forest, Ill., was found dead in the woods not far from her home. William Orpet, a student of the University of Wisconsin, who was arrested on the charge of murder, admitted he had met the girl in the woods to tell her that he no longer cared for her. He told her he was to wed Celestia Youker of DeKalb, Ill. Miss Lambert took prussic acid, and died immediately.

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 17.—"Let us show everyone that the Badger students knew how to stand by a friend unless it is proved he is not a friend."

With this sentence the Daily Cardinal, Wisconsin university newspaper, summed up an editorial asking students to reserve judgment against William H. Orpet, university junior, who is held today for the murder of pretty Marian Lambert of Lake Forest, Ill.

"We seem to forget that he is one of us; that he is entitled to our friendship as long as he is worthy of it. It has not been proved that he is not worthy of that friendship and yet we are withholding it," the Cardinal stated.

Students who knew young Orpet were emphatic today in their declaration that they believed him incapable of the crime. He was modest and unassuming in his conduct on the campus, soft spoken and courteous.

"I can't believe he killed Marian Lambert," said Grant Hyde, instructor in journalism, and for three years Orpet's teacher. "He was a bright, intelligent fellow, and evidently wrapped up in his work."

The co-eds are asking each other "Who was Orpet and what did he look like?" Not one of them seemed today to know him. The rumor that a Madison girl is implicated in the case is laughed at by those who knew Orpet intimately. They said he did not know any girls here.

SCHOOLMATES AID AUTHORITIES FIND LAMBERT SLAYER

Waukegan, Feb. 17.—Marian Lambert's schoolmate sweetheart planned today to aid Lake county authorities in prosecuting William H. Orpet, University of Wisconsin Junior, held for Marian's murder.

Ervin Clow, a 19-year-old senior at Highland Park high school, who passed notes to Marian, took her home from school and walked with her to choir practice and church, said today he is certain she did not commit suicide.

Ervin was Marian's "regular beau," his friends said.

"I am sure Marian did not commit suicide," Clow told a United Press reporter today. "I was with her on the afternoon before she disappeared, and there was not a worry on her mind. She was not the kind of a girl who would commit suicide."

"Did you know of her relations with Orpet?" Clow was asked.

"I should say not," he replied. "Why, I never even kissed Marian. We were pals and I thought of her as a mighty nice girl."

"The Loyol Eighteen," a girl's club to which Marian belonged, is working to aid Dady, also. The girls, Marian's confidants, have sought to comfort Marian's mother.

Detectives today began a thorough search for the bottle they believed contained the poison given Marian. If they find it, and it tallies in description with the bottle a Madison, Wis., drug clerk said he sold Orpet, they believe their case against the youth is complete.

The coroner's inquest, it was stated this afternoon, probably will not be held until Monday. The preliminary arraignment of Orpet before a justice of the peace, set for that date, will be postponed.

BERLIN MAY RELENT IF ALLIES AGREE NOT TO USE GUNS

Proposals Is Counter Shaft at American Objection to Orders Given Submarines

DECREE FOLLOWS THE GERMAN

Vienna Orders to Sink Armed Merchantmen Are Given Out: Identical with Berlin Decree

AGREE ON LUSITANIA CASE

Lansing n Conference with Bernstorff Said to Have Insisted on Respect of Submarine Views

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Great Britain must give pledges that passenger liners will not fire on submarines, before Germany will instruct its commanders not to fire on such vessels without warning. This, in effect, constitutes a counter proposal from Germany to the United States' objection to the plan to sink all armed ships after March 1.

This became known today following a twenty minute informal discussion of the new submarine issues by Secretary Lansing and Ambassador Bernstorff.

The text of the Austrian decree announcing that all armed ships will be sunk without warning after February 29 was given out at the state department today. It is almost identical with the German decree.

It was learned on high authority that the United States and Germany are in complete accord regarding the Lusitania controversy excepting this government considers the future must be taken care of as well as the past. As evidence of this agreement, it was explained that the German memorandum regarding the settlement of the Count von Bernstorff as had been expected.

Secretary Lansing is understood to have insisted that this government's acclaimed policy in respect to the right of merchantmen to arm for protection be carried out.

In the event that the latest suggestions are not accepted within a week, it was predicted that "months of diplomatic exchanges are inevitable."

Ambassador Bernstorff said he did not expect to see Secretary Lansing again before next week. He indicated that he must ask his own government for further instructions.

The Austrian submarine decree as given out today is based on the allegation that British admiralty orders, found on captured ships, are instructions to commanders inciting them illegally to attack and attempt destruction of hostile war vessels, engaged in legitimate exercise of the right of capture.

This, the decree brands as being in "direct contravention of the assurances (given by England) to the state department at Washington."

Under these conditions, the decree points out "all merchant ships armed with cannon for whatever purpose, lose the character of peaceable vessels."

M'GILVRAY ACTION IN FORTNIGHT IS PROMISE OF COWIE

Papers in Case Against Trempealeau and La Crosse Counties to Be Served Soon

Papers in a mandamus action against the counties of La Crosse and Trempealeau for their refusal to repair the McGilvray road and string of bridges separating the two counties will be filed with clerk of circuit court Aiken during the next two weeks by Attorney Robert S. Cowie.

Attorney Cowie made the statement today while returning to his home at Whitehall from a business trip in Chicago.

"We have been slow in getting the thing started," he told a TRIBUNE reporter, "but a mandamus action will be commenced within the next fifteen days."

SCHMIDT EXECUTION SET FOR TOMORROW

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Hans Schmidt, the unfrocked priest who murdered Anna Ammeller, his sweetheart, in 1913, is to be electrocuted at Sing Sing tomorrow.

COAL OIL AGAIN
FREEPORT, Ill., Feb. 17.—Bert Gilbert, his wife and two children were seriously burned on Wednesday at Savanna, Ill., when Gilbert started a fire in the kitchen stove with coal oil and an explosion resulted. The house was destroyed.

WEATHER

Today's Temperatures
Sunset tomorrow, 7:30 a. m.
Sunset tomorrow, 5:30 p. m.
6 a. m., 34 10 a. m., 38
7 a. m., 34 11 a. m., 40
8 a. m., 34 12 m., 42
9 a. m., 35 1 p. m., 46

Temperatures Today
High, 46; low, 32; precipitation, 0.
For La Crosse and vicinity—Fair and somewhat cooler tonight and Friday.

For Wisconsin—Generally fair tonight and Friday. Cooler Friday and west and central portions tonight.

For Minnesota—Fair tonight and Friday. Cooler tonight.

For Iowa—Fair tonight and Friday. Somewhat cooler west portion tonight and east portion Friday.

Weather Conditions
The weather conditions have not changed materially during the past twenty-four hours, except that it is generally warmer east of the Rocky mountains.

Boston, New York and Seattle are the only stations within the United States reporting precipitation.

No storm center is shown on this morning's chart, but an area of high pressure is central over the north-west.

The weather is indicated for this section tonight and Friday with somewhat lower temperature.

LA CROSSE PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY

ORCHESTRAL NUMBERS

The Directors of the La Crosse Philharmonic Society have decided to base the programme of their next concert on the desires and tastes of their subscribers and patrons, and take a plebiscite on their orchestral numbers. You will greatly assist them by affixing crosses against eight of your favorite numbers in the list given below. Lists should be signed and mailed to the musical director, F. W. Rawstron, 139 South Ninth Street.

1. Overture to Don Juan.....Mozart	17. Overture, Midsummer Night's Dream.....Mendelssohn
2. Andante from Surprise Symphony Haydn	18. Dance Caprice.....Grieg
3. Funeral March of a Marionette Gounod	19. La Roulte d'Omphale.....Saint-Saens
4. Three Dances from Henry VIII German	20. March from La Prophete.....Meyerbeer
5. Marche Hongroise.....Berlioz	21. Military Polonaise.....Chopin
6. Ballet Egyptian.....Schubert	22. Waltz Amoretta.....Gungl
7. Overture to Rosamunde.....Schubert	23. Cradle Song.....Ch. Bach
8. Overture to Tancrède.....Rossini	24. Waltz Die Hydropaten.....Gungl
9. Nell Gwyn Dances.....German	25. La Voix des Cloches.....Luigi
10. March Le Pere de la Victoire.....Ganne	26. Overture, Die Felsenmühle Reissiger
11. Wedding Symphony.....Mendelssohn	27. March from Ataulia.....Mendelssohn
12. Unfinished Symphony.....Schubert	28. March from Tannhauser.....Wagner
13. Overture, Marriage of Figaro.....Mozart	29. Overture to William Tell.....Rossini
14. Nocturne from Midsummer Night's Dream.....Mendelssohn	30. Reverie Extase.....Ganne
15. March of the Bolshoi.....Halvorsen	31. Sarabande.....Bohm
16. Norwegian Dances.....Grieg	32. Serenade.....Pierne

NAME.....Address.....

MARYE LEAVES POST AT RUSS CAPITAL ILL HEALTH CAUSE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The state department has been advised of the resignation of George T. Marye, ambassador to Russia, and expects to receive his formal letter in a few days. Marye gives the condition of his health as his reason. No action with regard to a successor will be taken until the resignation in in Secretary Lansing's hands, it was said yesterday.

Deep down in her heart a girl may think she is an angel, but she needn't keep harping on the subject.

DOING THEIR DUTY

Scores of La Crosse Readers Are Learning the Duty of the Kidneys

To filter the blood is the kidneys' duty.

When they fail to do this the kidneys are weak.

Backache and other kidney ills may follow.

Help the kidneys do their work.

Use Doan's Kidney Pills—the tested kidney remedy.

La Crosse people endorse their worth.

Mrs. E. E. Burrows, 421 Vine St., La Crosse, says: "I suffered severely from pain across my shoulders and through my sides and hips. Doan's Kidney Pills freed me of the pain and the cure has been permanent."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Burrows had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

High School Haps

The total enrollment is now about 900, nearly 200 being freshmen. Average daily absence is about twenty-five.

Inter-scholastic debate honors went to Sparta, who won both of their debates by close margins from La Crosse and Viroqua. A picked team of Spartans will now take part in the Lawrence Debate League's annual contest. Results in this section since 1912 show that Tomah has won six debates, Sparta and La Crosse five, and Viroqua three.

The leading characters in the opera, "The Chimes of Normandy" are working hard on their parts, although the choruses have not as yet begun active work. The boys' glee club and the orchestra will furnish the music for the Teachers' convention to be held at the normal on the 25 and 26.

The L. D. D. S. and W. P. D. S. will meet on the basketball floor to settle differences. It has been customary in the past for the L. D. to win, but last year the W. P. came mighty near taking both debate and basketball game. It is probable that a special social hour will be held after the game.

On April 14 the University Glee club will visit the high school for one day and promise some special numbers.

The library is gradually coming more and more into use by the students. In the ten weeks from November 15 to January 25, the total attendance was 6,326 and 1,916 books were charged.

The boys of the school are "dressing up" and are becoming more and more gallant as each day passes in expectation of being asked to the leap year party to be held on March 3.

TWO HURT IN WRECK

BEAR CREEK, Wis., Feb. 17.—Five persons were injured, one probably fatally when the passenger train on the Northwestern road, due here at 9:17, was wrecked two miles northwest of this village yesterday. The wreck was caused by spreading rails.

UPRISING BREWING FUNSTON IS TOLD

General in Charge on Border Informed Supplies Are Being Smuggled Over

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The war department today sent to General Funston, in charge of the Mexican border, unofficial information concerning plans for a new Mexican uprising alleged to be maturing in this country.

Information given the department in private letters is that the conspiracy has reached a very definite stage.

Arms and ammunition already have been smuggled across the border, awaiting the conspirators to follow, it is said. These are expected to slip across in small parties.

Los Angeles, San Antonio, El Paso and New Orleans have been the principal gathering places of the conspirators, the department has been told, and they apparently include many of the old scientific party, but few Villistas.

FILIBUSTER HELPS HUSTING IN FIGHT ON SHIELDS BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Opponents today continued successful filibuster against the Shields water-power bill denounced by Gifford Pinchot, as a grabbers' measure. The filibuster will be kept up until Senator Husting of Wisconsin can complete a substitute, which is in radical conflict with the Shields measure.

It provides for government leasing of power sites on navigable streams, with regulation of rates which the lessees may charge; the retaining of the site at the end of fifty years by the government, easily and with no expense for franchise value, the unearned increase in the value of the site, or other abstract values.

VIOLENT STORMS IMPEDE FIGHTING ON WEST FRONT

PARIS, Feb. 17.—Violent storms along the western front last night not only impeded all artillery operations but held the infantry to their trenches. The war office this afternoon reported no change in the situation.

In Artois the wind and rainstorm reached its greatest violence. Shelters were blown down, trenches flooded and the roads converted into seas of mud impassable to automobile. Villages back of the front suffered severely in the storm.

CORNS COME OFF LIKE BANANA PEEL

Wonderful, Simple "Gets-It" Never Fails to Remove Any Corn Easily.

"Wouldn't it jar you? Here I've been going along for years, with one desperate corn after another, trying to get rid of them with salves that



Hesitate! Use Sure "Gets-It" for Those Corns and Save Your Life and Your Toes! eat off the toes, tapes that stick to the stocking, bandages and plasters that make a package of the toes, trying blood-bringing razors, and scissors. Then I tried "Gets-It" just once and you ought to have seen that corn come off—just like a banana peel." It's simple, wonderful. It's the new way, painless, applied in two seconds, never hurts healthy flesh or irritates. Nothing to press on the corn. Never fails. Quit the old ways for once anyway and try "Gets-It" tonight. For corns, calluses, warts and bunions. "Gets-It" is sold everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

CRONES TELLS IN LETTER JUST HOW POISON WAS USED

Anarchist Wanted for Banquet Poisoning Affair Is Thought Hiding Somewhere in New York

LETTER THOUGHT BY CRONES

Chicago Authorities Say the Missive Is Exact Confession of Alleged Soup Poisoner

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Somewhere in New York Jean Crones is in hiding today, is the belief of the police, enjoying the game of eluding capture and perhaps planning further acts of anarchy.

The search for the man wanted in connection with the poisoning of more than 100 banqueters at the University club, Chicago, narrowed to New York and the outlying districts when a letter reached a New York newspaper today signed "Jean Crones." It purported to tell exactly how the Chicagoans were poisoned at a banquet in honor of Archbishop Mundelein.

"When I go I will take a good many others along," Crones wrote. "I am sorry not all or at least 100 were killed at the banquet for the world would have been more happy without them."

Genuine Confession

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—The letter received by New York newspapers, signed Jean Crones, is a genuine confession of the suspected arch poisoner in the anarchists' soup plot, Chicago police declared today.

The New York letter, authorities say, contains misspelled words identical with words found in other letters written by Crones.

City Hall Fire Mystery

Efforts to link the mysterious fire at the city hall yesterday morning, which threatened destruction of the laboratory where Crones poisons were being analyzed, with other developments in the plot, had met with little success so far, police admitted.

Police made another arrest today when they raided a house on the South side and took into custody Fritz Schoenfeld, assistant chef at the University club. Schoenfeld said he had no information that would help the police in their efforts to locate the plotters, and that he wasn't an anarchist.

Is He in Boston?

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 17.—"I saw Jean Crones in Boston last night and spoke to him," is the statement today of a Cambridge man, who insisted that his name be kept secret through his fear of violence. Crones was disguised, the informer said.

The Cambridge man says that he and Crones were fellow members of the Waiters' union in Chicago and that they were friends there. Crones helped him in raising car fare to come east, he declared.

JULIUS BUELOW CALLED BY DEATH

Julius Buelow, 2419 Mitchell street, a well known citizen, passed away at his home at 11:35 last evening after an illness of three weeks of pneumonia. Mr. Buelow came to this country from Germany when he was 16 years old. He resided in this city for the past thirty-four years. He was 51 years old at the time of his death.

He is survived by a widow, three sons, John, Henry and Arthur of La Crosse; two daughters, Mrs. Henry Boeck and Miss Emma Buelow of La Crosse. A mother and one brother, Herman Buelow of La Crosse, and one sister, Mrs. Charles Briggs, of Blair, Wis., also mourn his loss. Three grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services will be held from the residence at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon and from the German Lutheran church at 2:30. Rev. Julius T. Gamm will officiate. Interment will be made in Oak Grove cemetery.

MEXICANS PLANNED KIDNAP FOR RANSOM

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 17.—Two missing Mexicans were being sought by the police today in connection with a plot to kidnap the two young sons of El Paso bankers and hold them in the mountains of New Mexico for \$50,000 ransom. Dr. R. A. Magruder, who turned state's evidence; Major Jesus Villaseñor, formerly of the Villa army, and Werner Fliche, a wealthy German business man, have been arrested on indictments handed down in the alleged plot.

Magruder, a prominent local dentist, is said to have told the police that two of the conspirators planned to kill some of the others to prevent them sharing in the ransom.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Stations	(L.)	(H.)	(P.)
Boston	39	34	.98
Charleston	42	34	0
New York	38	34	.01
Washington	34	42	0
Galveston	39	42	0
Jacksonville	41	49	0
New Orleans	39	46	0
Chicago	38	48	0
La Crosse	32	46	0
Madison	32	44	0
Memphis	39	58	0
Milwaukee	34	42	0
Bismarck	32	48	0
Huron	32	49	0
Kansas City	42	62	0
St. Paul	38	48	0
Boise	39	48	0
Denver	32	64	0
Helena	32	52	0
Miles City	28	46	0
Portland, Ore.	46	56	0
Spokane	38	50	0
Medicine Hat	26	54	0

What Thin Folks Should Do To Gain Weight

Good Advice For Thin, Undeveloped Men and Women

Thousands of people suffer from excessive thinness, weak nerves and feeble stomachs who, having tried advertised flesh-makers, food-fads, physical culture stunts and rub-on creams, resign themselves to lifelong skinniness and think nothing will make them fat. Yet their case is not hopeless. A recently discovered combination of assimilative agents has made fat grow after years of thinness, and it is also unequalled, judging from reports, for repairing the waste of sickness or faulty digestion and for strengthening the nerves. This remarkable preparation is called Sargol. Six strength-giving, fat-producing assimilative elements of acknowledged merit have been combined in this preparation, which is endorsed and used by prominent people everywhere. It is absolutely harmless, inexpensive and efficient.

A few weeks systematic use of Sargol should go far to produce flesh and strength by correcting faults of digestion and by supplying nourishing fats to the blood. If not, every druggist who sells it is authorized to return the purchase price. Increased nourishment is obtained from the food eaten, and the additional fats that thin people need are thus provided. Hoeschler Bros., La Crosse, and other leading druggists supply Sargol and say there is a large demand for it.

While this new preparation results from reports given splendid results as a nerve-tonic and vitalizer, its use is not recommended to nervous people unless they wish to gain at least ten pounds of flesh.

RUSHFORD WOMEN GIVE A FRANCES WILLARD PROGRAM

Memory of Famous Woman Observed by W. C. T. U. Program at the Rushford Presbyterian Church

RUSHFORD, Minn., Feb. 17.—(Special.)—The local W. C. T. U. will give a Frances E. Willard memorial program at the Rushford Presbyterian church next Saturday, February 19. A good program of speaking, singing and reading will be heard and it will benefit all to come out and encourage the Union by their presence.

Rushford has new residents in the family of Mr. and Mrs. W. Paulson, who have recently moved in from the country and now occupy the cottage owned by John Peterson, on the north side of Church Hill.

At the annual meeting of the Farmers' Home Telephone company the following officers were elected to serve the coming year: President John Holger; vice president, John Fossen; secretary, O. S. Evenson; treasurer, Henry Baker. Directors: Olaf Grindeland and Henry Olan. A number of improvements in the line were decided upon at the meeting.

Mrs. Erickson Visits

Miss Etta Erickson, a former resident of Rushford, but for a number of years a resident of Lanesboro, came down from that place a short time ago for a short visit with the family of Herman Olson and Simon Hoogh.

In the death of Miss Karen Alm, this city suffers a great loss. She was taken to La Crosse on Tuesday, February 8, and although all possible was done to alleviate the pain she suffered, she answered the last summons the following night, Wednesday. The remains were brought back to this city on the following day, Thursday, and funeral services were held on last Sunday afternoon, February 13.

Pre-Lenten Supper

The ladies of Emanuel church, in this city, will serve a pre-Lenten supper at the Guild house on the evening of February 23.

Local and Personal

P. C. Johnson, who resides a few miles southeast of this city, lies very ill at his home. A complication of diseases seems to be causing the trouble.

Peter Alm, who has been very ill with pneumonia, passed the crisis of the disease last Monday and is now on the road to recovery, for which his family and many friends are heartily thankful.

O. J. Overland of Bratsberg has recovered from his recent severe illness enough to be about his home and store again.

Former Resident Dies

Charles Iverson, a former Rushford resident, passed away at Raymond, Wash., on February 5. He was born in this city on March 19, 1863 and when about 26 years old, left Rushford to seek other fields of labor. He had spent several years in Virginia; having been a member of Company C, Third Va. Volunteers in the Spanish-American war. He had also resided some years in Alaska. In the message telling of his death and received by Hon. S. G. Iverson of St. Paul, his brother, a detailed account of his illness was given.

Mrs. Lewis Smith

Mrs. Lewis Smith, mother of Mrs. Milo Bathrick of this city, died at the latter's home, from a three days' illness from pneumonia. Mrs. Smith was born in St. Lawrence county, N. Y., on January 25, 1830, and was, at the time of her death, 86 years of age. Her maiden name was Sarah Wilson, and she was united in marriage, when a young woman, to Lewis Smith, who died many years ago. Since his death she had made her home with Mrs. Bathrick, who was her only surviving child. Mrs. Smith was the last of a family of ten children.

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RUDOLPH DRUSCHKE CALLED TO REWARD

Rudolph Druschke, 514 South Eleventh street, died at his home at 11:30 last evening, death resulting from a complication of diseases. He was born in Germany June 6, 1846, coming to this country in 1888. He took up his residence at 1008 La Crosse street, where he opened a butcher shop. He also operated a market at 404 Rose street.

Mr. Druschke later moved to Hokah, where he resided for twelve years. He is survived by a widow, two daughters, Miss Gertrude and Mrs. Ed. Walter of Milwaukee, and four sons, George and Paul of La Crosse, Rudolph and Christ of Milwaukee.

The funeral will be held from the residence at 2:30 p. m. Saturday Rev. J. T. Gamm officiating. Burial will be in Oak Grove cemetery.

PRESIDENT SIGNS FIRST WAR BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—President Wilson has signed the first national defense bill passed by congress, the bill increasing by 300 the number of students at the United States naval academy and the bill making \$600,000 immediately available for improving defenses at Mare Island and the Brooklyn navy yard.

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The department of agriculture has an expert chemist who devotes all of his time to devising new recipes for jellies and jams. He has learned how to make syrup out of cider and preserves out of orange peelings. The medical library of the surgeon general is recognized all over the world as one of the most complete collections of its kind in existence. Our great western irrigation projects and the Panama canal are striking proof of what government engineering can do.

The criticism leveled against universities in general is that they are too theoretical and tend to make knowledge a pursuit in itself quite apart from its value to men. But Uncle Sam's scientists and thinkers are in daily contact with the practical problems of a great nation. The United States of America is their field of experiment. No student under them would have much chance to become a slave of theory.

IN PLACE OF COTTON

The scarcity of cotton in Europe has led already to the employment of a number of substitutes in the war hospitals. A paper filler is in use which is much cheaper than cotton but not so effective. The Germans are using "lignin" extensively. This is made of cellulose from wood fibre. It absorbs blood better than cotton but is not so good for dressing a fresh wound. It is being used for second dressings and is manufactured, under the direction of the government, by a secret process.

A sea moss is also being utilized for this purpose. It is gathered by women along the coasts of Ireland and England and Sweden. The moss is well washed and dried and forms an excellent absorbent when applied with a gauze covering.

STEALING THE WIDOW'S MITE

It seems almost incredible that there could be in La Crosse county a person capable of stealing from the widow's pension fund. In the face of a difficult situation we still dare to hope that the matter may be cleared up. But if the contemptible thing was done, if this ghoulish rascality actually was practiced, there should be relentless pursuit and prosecution. Cast out of society and into prison, the perpetrator would be inadequately punished. One capable of such conduct is below humiliation; the punishment can not fit the crime, because in the law there is no distinction between robbing a widow and robbing a millionaire, but at least this culprit should get the inadequate limit.

Was it Sarcasm
Boston Transcript—Mrs. Owens—I wonder if the doctor's wife meant anything personal just now?
Owens—What did she say?
Mrs. Owens—She said we might at least pay them a visit.

Togs For the Family
Boston Transcript—"I suppose tires are a big expense in automobilizing."
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THE TRIBUNE'S DAILY TRAVELETTE
(By Nicksah)
Dutch Guiana
The three Guianas are the only bits of European territory in South America. They are the least known parts of the western hemisphere, and each in its own way is unusual enough to belong in a museum. Dutch Guiana is the strangest and the most attractive of the three. You sail up the muddy Surinam river for several hours before you reach Paramaribo, in spite of the fact that this capital and important center calls itself a seaport. Paramaribo is a sort of badly sunburned Rotterdam. It is Dutch as windmills and wooden shoes, but the people of Paramaribo are black. Imagine a dark mammy with wooden clogs on her ample feet and a turban tied in imitation of the Dutch cap, saying "Yah, Mynheer." Instead of "Yassah," and you have Paramaribo. Back a little farther from the ocean, where the tropic bush grows jungle-thick, you begin to come to some of the surprising assortment of races that Dutch Guiana carries up her sleeve. Perhaps it is the Japanese colony that you happen on first. They are a different type from the higher class Japanese whom you meet in the eastern United States. These are the common laborers, with broad brown faces. They have built up a little Nippon here, with their shy women and laughing babies. Or maybe it is the Hindoo village, where these brown men from over the rim of the earth, who have come to labor in the trade richness of South America are congregated. They have brought their world with them, down to the last least custom and costume. Then there are the Javanese, a proud, sullen race the color of their own coffee-berries. They stalk about in sharp contrast to the modest, self-effacing Hindoo. The two wildest races of the region are the Carib Indians and the bush negroes, or the "Bosch" as the Dutch call them. The Bosch are descendants of runaway slaves, who fled to the impenetrable thickets of the interior. They have slipped back into the old African tribal customs, and live as the African negro has been living since the dawn of time. So you find a strange jumble of peoples and civilizations in Dutch Guiana. To cap the contrast come the appliances of civilization—the put-putting motor-boat, the squaking automobile, the little railroad that scuttles through the primeval bush, all as a reminder that in the end the ways of the Caucasian must have their way with the earth.

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Time, you old gypsy man,
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Put up your caravan
Just for one day?

All things I'll give you
Will you be my guest,
Bells for your jennet
Of silver the best
Of silvers shall beat you
A great golden ring,
Peacocks shall bow to you,
Little boys sing,
Oh, and sweet girls will
Festoon you with may,
Time, you old gypsy,
Why hasten away?

Last week in Babylon,
Last night in Rome,
Morning, and in the crush
Under Paul's dome;
Under Paul's dial
You tighten your rein—
Only a moment.
And off once again:
Now to some city
Now blind in the womb,
Off to another
Ere that's in the tomb.
Time, you old gypsy man,
Will you not stay,
Put up your caravan
Just for one day?

—Ralph Hodgson in The Kansas Industrialist.

A Deep One

Johnny stood beside his mother as she made her selection from the huckster's wagon, and the farmer told the boy to take a handful of cherries, but the child shook his head.

"What's the matter? Don't you like them?" asked the farmer.
"Yes," replied Johnny.
"Then go ahead, take some."
Johnny hesitated whereupon the farmer put a generous handful in the boy's cap. After the farmer had driven on, the mother asked:
"Why didn't you take the cherries when he told you to?"
"Cause his hand was bigger'n mine."

That Balking Word

Boston Transcript—Husband (testily)—Oh, if—If! You remind me of what the fellow who got lost in the woods said to his companion. Wife—Well, what did he say?
Husband—He said—"Now if we had some ham we'd have some ham and eggs if we had some eggs."

No Knockout

Maude—Is it true, dear, that your engagement with young Gotrox is broken off?
Ethel—True? (Holds out her hand.) You can see for yourself that I am still in the ring.

Knew What He Was Doing

Punch—Tommy (dictating letter to be sent to his wife)—The nurses here are a very plain lot!
Nurse—Oh, come, I say! That's not very polite to us.
Tommy—Never mind, nurse, put it down. It'll please her!

The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story
ALENE'S ROMANCE
By CATHARINE CRANMER.
(Copyright, 1916, by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)
Alene settled herself in the scratchy plush seat of the local train, pleased with the prospect of spending her two weeks' vacation on a farm. Her many visits to the movies, where broad-shouldered, good-looking young farmers or cowboys were the heroes had placed her to picture a farm as the place of all others offering the romantic possibilities for which her young soul yearned. There was even a confused idea in her mind that in some miraculous way her experiences there might get on to a film and be seen by Will Egger and all the other people at the office where she worked.

She had been rather nettled more than once at Will's seeming oversight of the romantic in the various movies to which he had accompanied her. He was always figuring how the plot worked out, and frequently when the most adorable hero had rescued the heroine from the villain Will would only give a grunt about it being the "same old gag."

"Will's a good enough fellow," thought Alene, as the slow train jerked in and out of a tiny village, "but he hasn't a bit of dash or the look of a hero." Then she fell to day-dreaming about the stalwart young man whose gallant attentions, daring deeds and bright repartee she vaguely hoped would make this trip a great romantic period in her life. Of course, at first she would act coquettish with her hero, but would eventually capitulate before his forceful personality, and, as it were, their two smiling and congenial selves would be thrown prominently on the movie screen of life.

At this stage of her day dream, the porter stuck his head in the door and shouted: "Waynesburg! Waynesburg!" That being her destination, Alene grabbed her suitcase and, as she went jerkily toward the car door, she peeped through the dirty window to see whether any rustic Adonis was awaiting her. As she tripped down the train steps in her trim blue serge suit, silk shirtwaist and Panama hat, and with her dancing brown eyes looking about for possible adventure, she became the center of interest to the dozen listless-looking people lined along the gravelly strip between the train and the little oblong station. The prospect for adventure was far from promising.

Just then the eyes of all left Alene and went in the direction of what came the sound of a rushing automobile and excited and laughing voices. A big touring car swerved from the main road on to the open space at the end of the station and an athletic young man in light flannels sprang from the machine and crossing the strip of gravel managed to grasp the handrail of the last coach just as the train moved past the station. The four young people remaining in the machine called merry good-bys to him.

Alene hoped she would be taken into the automobile to be conveyed to Rural Retreat Farm, and she smiled as she saw the handsome youth at the steering wheel. The smile died a moment later when he steered the big car into the main road where it disappeared amid a cloud of dust. To her surprise she was accosted at that moment by a tall, lank young fellow in blue overalls and a faded blue shirt. He did not even touch the brim of his hickory hat as he spoke to her, much less remove it with the sweeping grace of the movie screen.

"Are you waiting to go to Rural Retreat Farm?" The face from which the nasal voice leaked out was sunburned almost to a blister. Around the corners of his mouth oozed out the brown liquid and the damp odor proclaiming that he had been sent to meet her, Alene allowed him to take her suitcase and lead the way to his conveyance, which proved to be a one-horse buggy. As they jogged along the dusty road, she made casual inquiry about whether the occupants of the automobile were stopping at Rural Retreat.

"Well, I guess not!" he ejaculated. "They're a lot of swells a-visitin' up to Randolph's mansion."
Alene's appetite was not tempted

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by the midday dinner which the preparing mother of her escort piled on the long table at an once—meat, vegetables, preserves, pies. Her companions at dinner, besides the boy and his mother, were three summer boarders consisting of a middle-aged couple and an asthmatic man of fifty. In the big yard after dinner, Alene found little of interest save a hammock made of barrel staves and padded with a bedquilt, a tree of flavorless sweet apples and a few straggling flowers among the rank growth of grass and weeds.

As the days passed she found small amusement in going alone to fish where mosquitoes and flies were plentiful, or in sitting on the porch to crochet and listen to the middle-aged woman tell of her many ailments. The long afternoons dragged insufferably, and the day before the end of the week, for which she had paid her board in advance, she was so desperately lonely that she asked to be taken to the train. As the boy was driving her along in his buggy, she saw three gallant horsemen approaching, and for an instant her revived within her the hope that her movie dream was coming true after all. As the riders drew near, she recognized one of them as the youth who had driven the touring car to the station the day she arrived. But, alas, for her dreams! The three horsemen went galloping by the slow-moving buggy without even a glance at its occupants, and the last hope for a romantic adventure died out of Alene's heart.

Not until she was well on her journey home did her sense of humor come to her rescue. Then she saw how she had foolishly allowed her imagination to get her into a predicament. She reached home that evening just as her mother and father were sitting down to a dainty but simple dinner in the darkened dining-room of their little flat. They laughed heartily at her accounts of their disillusionment about the retreat and the rustic hero she had expected to find there.

"And now we're going to celebrate my retreat from the rural regions by going to a picture show, but I hope they won't show any rustic heroes," said Alene.
"That reminds me!" exclaimed her mother. "Did you hear about Will Egger winning a thousand-dollar prize for the best scenario picturing a modern business romance? Isn't that great?" Before Alene could reply her father called her from the front door, bidding her come to greet an old friend. She was not surprised greatly when she found the "old friend" to be Will Egger.

"Oh, Will, but I'm glad to get back to civilization," said Alene, after the first greetings were over. "I'm inclined to think the rustic romances are all on the films."
"I came by to ask your parents how you liked your retreat," said Alene's mother.

Will, "but maybe you'll go to the picture show with me."
"I'll go if you'll guarantee no rustic adventures," assented Alene.
"I can safely promise that," said Will. "for they are giving the first run tonight of a modern business romance."

"Oh, and congratulations on your home run for the big prize! Mother was just telling me about it when you came."
"What I want to tell you, Alene, is that I've been hoping that thousand I won might help make a little home if you'll help me run it."
Although there was nothing perceptibly romantic about this confession of Will's, it did not fail to inspire an answering echo in Alene's heart.

FREDERICK STRAUSS PASSES TO REWARD

Frederick Strauss, an old resident of La Crosse, died Monday morning at 7 o'clock at his home, 1522 Farwell street, after a three days' illness of complication of diseases.

Mr. Strauss was born in Stolp Mansow, Germany, in 1842, and had lived in La Crosse since 1881. For many years he was employed at the Voigt and Ritter wagon works.

He is survived by a widow and four children. They are: Theodore Strauss of La Crosse, C. J. Strauss of Madison, Mrs. Gustave Vegliahn of La Crosse and Mrs. C. J. Hennenburg of Pease, Minn. A brother in Germany, seventeen grandchildren and one great-granddaughter also survive.

Funeral services were held at the residence at two o'clock this afternoon and at the German Lutheran church. Rev. Julius Gamm officiated. Burial was made in Oak Grove cemetery.

Revenge

Belle—The coffee urn you gave them for a wedding gift is awfully heavy!
June—Yes, when she whies it across the table at him I want him to feel it! He jilted my sister June!

Then They Might Be Girls

Boston Transcript—Nurse—It's twins sir.
Father—Holy Moses and Jumpin' Jehisaphat!
Nurse—Oh, no, sir; we haven't named them yet.

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S'MATTER, POP?"
POP I WANT A PEETH OF BREAD AN BUTTAH
MY GOODNESS YOU JUST HAD YOUR DINNER
DO YOU KNOW WHEN YOU'VE HAD ENOUGH?
YETH THIR
HOW DO YOU KNOW WHEN?
WHEN I COMMENTH YO GIT TIGHT!



Of Interest To Women

News items of every character of interest to women welcome to space in this department. Write or phone Women's Editorial Staff.

Miss Alice Wheeler,
Miss Cora M. Bangsberg.

THE TRIBUNE
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La Crosse Women's Club Hears Program Of McDowell Music

Club President Discusses Life of Composer and Selections Illustrating Qualities of McDowell as a Composer Is Given by Local Soloists

One of the most enjoyable gatherings of the La Crosse Women's club this year was the social and musical meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Huecker, 1335 Avon street.

Mrs. Earl Wheaton was leader of the day and was assisted in the preparation of the program by Mrs. Bert Nelson.

Following the report of the mid-winter conference of the Federation of Women's clubs at Milwaukee recently given by Mrs. Frank E. Davis, of the Twentieth Century club, and district vice president of the State Federation, a program of McDowell music was given by local soloists and musicians, which was greatly enjoyed and appreciated by the members of the club.

Mrs. H. L. Partridge, president of the club read a paper on the life of McDowell and his distinguishing qualities as a composer of music and songs. Selections from the piano compositions of McDowell were given by Mrs. Samuel Fellows, Miss Ida Knutson, Miss Helen MacArthur and Mrs. Bert Nelson, while Mrs. R. C. Wheeler, and Miss Stella Traue demonstrated his abilities as a song composer. Mrs. Nelson also told something of the life and work of McDowell.

At the close of the program refreshments were served by the members of the second division of the club, which includes the Mesdames Earl Wheaton, R. B. Harris, W. B. Horner, J. C. Huecker, M. J. Kent, R. B. Lowry, E. G. Mell, M. G. Olson,

F. H. Pope and G. R. Reay, after which the ladies enjoyed a social hour.

The musical program consisted of the following numbers:

- Piano selection—
- (a) The Witches' Dance.
- (b) The Wandering Ice Berg.
- Mrs. Samuel Fellows

Songs—

- Op. 47—Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.
- Mrs. R. C. Wheeler.

Piano selection—

- (a) The Idyll.
- (b) In Mid Ocean.

Miss Helen MacArthur

Piano selections from the Sonata Tragica—

- (a) Largo Maestosa.
- (b) Scherzo.
- (c) Allegro.

Miss Ida Knutson

Songs From an Old Garden—

- (a) The Pansy.
- (b) The Yellow Daisy.
- (c) The Bluebell.
- (d) The Mignonette.

Miss Stella Traue

Piano selection—

- The Water Lily.
- Mrs. Bert Nelson

BURGHARDT-FRANCKSEN

NUPTIALS THIS AFTERNOON

At five o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Frankson, 715 South Fourth street, will take place the marriage of Miss Elsa Frankson and Mr. Herman Burghardt. The bride will be attended by her sister, Miss Selma Frankson, and Mr. Carl Burghardt, brother of the groom, will be best man. Rev. J. H. Klaus of the First German Methodist church, will officiate.

LUNCHEON

Mesdames Max Platz and Gregory J. Egan were hostess at a luncheon of twenty covers yesterday at the home of Mrs. Egan, 134 South Fourteenth street. The table decorations were baskets of narcissi and daffodils.

FIVE HUNDRED CLUB

Mrs. Joseph J. Leinfelder entertained the members of the Wednesday Five Hundred club yesterday at her home, 829 Ferry street. Favors were won by Mesdames H. J. Rooney, J. W. Callaway, C. W. Merwin and J. F. Barnes. The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. F. B. Webber, 134 South Tenth street.

ENTERTAINS FAOWA GIRLS

Twenty members of the Faowa Campfire Council of Bethany Center were entertained at a pleasant affair last evening at the home of Mrs. G. H. Brettnall, 512 South Fourteenth street. Three guessing contests furnished entertainment for the guests and prizes were awarded the winners of each. Miss Caddy George won the bird guessing contest, while Miss Mercy Goldsmith

STARTS FUND TO BUY BATTLESHIP



Marjorie Sterrett.

Marjorie Sterrett, a thirteen-year-old girl of Brocklyn, has started a movement among school children to raise a patriotic fund to build an American battleship. She earned the first dime for the fund by helping her mother in her housework, and sent the money with a letter to a New York newspaper.

was successful in the tree contest. Miss Jane Schick was awarded the honors in the Valentine telegram competition. Each girl was given a letter of the alphabet with the request to compose a Valentine telegram every word of which must begin with that particular letter. Miss Helen Mears, of the normal school, entertained the girls with a number of instrumental and vocal selections. A Valentine box—or rather grab bag—furnished considerable amusement. In the top of the box was an envelope just large enough to admit the hand. Each girl reached down into the box and grabbed what she could. The articles secured in this way being given as favors. Refreshments were served, and as the guests departed they were a unit in declaring the occasion one of the most enjoyable they had experienced.

COFFEE

Mrs. Frank N. Funke, 137 South Thirtieth street, entertained the members of her birthday club and a number of other friends at a coffee yesterday afternoon. Covers were laid for forty, the party being joined for refreshments by her husbands of the assisting ladies. The rooms were made attractive with a wealth of bright spring flowers.

PATRIOTIC MEETING

The daughters of the American Revolution will hold their annual Colonial party next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry J. Hirschheimer, 131 South Fifteenth street. The ladies will attend in Colonial costume and are requested to bring their patchwork or knitting. A program will be given, the nature of which has not been made public by the committee in charge.

SUNDAY SCHOOL COUNCIL

A Sunday school council will be held at the Tabernacle Baptist church, corner Clinton and Avon streets, the latter part of this week, conducted by Mr. Holtz and Miss Towns, of Milwaukee, state Sunday school missionaries. Sessions will be held in the afternoon and evening of Friday and Saturday and all day Sunday.

B. A. YEOMEN EVENTS

The ladies of Rowena Circle, B. A. Yeomen entertained their friends at progressive club Tuesday afternoon. The eight prizes were awarded as follows: Mesdames Denning, Ewe, Federl, N. Grove, Close, Bernadt, Belcher and D. Jolivet. The Circle will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday afternoon.

Tuesday evening the Yeomen held its regular meeting. A number of applications were presented for the Anniversary class which will be taken in the latter part of February or the first part of March.

The usual large crowd attended the social dance in the large Yeomen hall. Hackbart's Yeomen orchestra of six pieces furnished excellent music.

OBSERVE BIRTHDAY

Miss Louise Easton entertained a few friends yesterday in honor of her birthday.

SLEIGHRIDE

The pupils of the Eighth grade of the Washburn school, enjoyed a sleighride last evening, chaperoned by Miss Margaret Lewis.

MRS. COLMAN TO ENTERTAIN

Mrs. E. L. Colman, 401 West Avenue South, has issued invitations for a luncheon of twenty-five covers for Saturday.

The Rebekah Sewing club will meet at two o'clock Friday afternoon at Odd Fellows hall.

Colorado Woman Operates Large Ranch

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 17.—Evelyn Lawrence is the owner and resident manager of a 2,840-acre ranch in eastern Colorado, and besides doing all the work in connection with that task that a man would do, she finds time to be a delegate to political conventions, make speeches before the women's clubs and take frequent trips to hear the latest operas and keep in touch with the busy life of the world. Her husband was one of the best known men in Oklahoma, and the family came to Colorado to engage in ranching. When Mr. Lawrence died, his wife took up the management, and made a success of it.

Tested Recipes

Raised Waffles

1 1/2 cup flour, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons sugar, 1 cup milk, 2 egg yolks, 2 tablespoons melted butter, 2 egg whites.

Mix and sift dry ingredients; add milk, egg yolks and melted butter. Beat until perfectly smooth. Fold in stiffly beaten whites. Cook in a well greased waffle iron.

Grapefruit Cocktail

Cut grapefruit in halves. Remove sections of grapefruit, cutting away all membrane. With a pair of scissors or sharp pointed knife, cut edges into scallops. Refill grapefruit sections. Add a tablespoonful of lemon syrup to each serve. Decorate with a maraschino cherry, mint cherry or mint marshmallow. Serve ice cold in tall glasses or on a plate covered with a dolly.

Caramel Rice Pudding

2 egg yolks, salt, 1 1/3 cupfuls milk, 2 cupfuls cooked rice, 1 cupful dark brown sugar, 1 teaspoonful vanilla.

Beat the egg yolks, add salt, milk, rice, brown sugar and vanilla. Mix well, turn into a buttered pudding dish and bake about thirty minutes in a moderate oven. Serve cold with whipped cream or fruit sauce.

Red Beans, Spanish Style

1 cup soaked and cooked red beans, 1/4 cup cooked carrot, 1 cup cooked beef, cubed; 1 chili, finely chopped, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 sliced onion, 1/2 tablespoon sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, few grains pepper, 2 cups boiling water.

Brown onion and meat in butter or suet; add all ingredients and cook slowly until water is nearly evaporated. Serve with boiled rice or chestnuts.

Weeps at Thought of Car Now Suing Company

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 17.—Because she weeps every time she thinks of a trolley car, Miss Rose Mather is today suing the St. Paul City Railway company, for \$22,500 damages. She claims her condition resulted from her being in a street car accident.

Suffrage Opera Has Premiere Friday Night

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The much-heralded opera for suffrage, written by Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, will have its opening night tomorrow evening at the Waldorf. Melinda and Her Sisters is the title, and the piece is a satire on society. Marie Dressler, Mme. Frances Alda and other notables will be in the cast, and some clever burlesques of the follies of the age will be shown. It seems that Melinda is one of eight sisters. The other seven have been working egoistically for their own individual pleasures and desires, while Melinda alone has been working for others. Of course Melinda is due to round up the selfish ones, and those of the audience who are susceptible to her arguments. Miss Elsie Maxwell, a clever young composer from California, wrote the music for the show, and her productions have a "go" to them that will captivate the audience.

Suffragettes on Trail Of the Politicians

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 17.—When the democratic political leaders meet for their national convention here in June, they will find the suffragettes camped on the next lot, ready to demand that a suffrage plank be placed in the party platform. A big parade will be one of the forcible arguments to show that the women mean business, and Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt will personally head the conference committee, it is said. A similar demonstration will be conducted at Chicago, when the republicans hold their national convention.

Cleveland's Mayor's Wife Bakes Her Own Bread

CLEVELAND, Feb. 17.—Mrs. Harry L. Davis, wife of Cleveland's mayor, bakes her own bread. "I do it because I think no housekeeper ought to buy from the baker what she can make herself," said Mrs. Davis today. "Besides, Harry likes my bread." Mrs. Davis, who bakes three loaves twice a week, recently was awarded fourth prize in a bread-baking contest at a food show.

Completes 15 Years of Service For Uncle Sam

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Mrs. Leona Wells has completed fifteen years in the federal service, and she was once the highest salaried woman in the government service. She has done important constructive work at the capitol, and has an enviable record. She was the first woman to be given the important position of clerk to a senate committee. Mrs. Wells has voted in her home state of Wyoming since she came to voting age. Her sex has been no hindrance to her progress, she says, except that it has debarred her from the floor of the senate.

Women Seek Admission To State University

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 17.—The women of Virginia are making their fourth fight in the state legislature for the admission of women to the University of Virginia. At present the girls of Virginia are obliged to seek their education in the north, paying double what a young man pays at the state university. There is every prospect that the present fight will result in victory for the women. At present the state spends nothing on the higher education of women, save in connection with the normal schools.

NORTH SIDE

CITIZENSHIP PROOF SENT TO CALGARY TO SAVE SORENSONS

Believed That Former Local Residents Are Victims of Spy Mania Rife in Canada

Birth records of Neil and Thomas Sorensen, former residents of this city, are on their way to Calgary today to establish the American citizenship of the two young men, whose restaurant was wrecked by Canadian soldiers recently. The appeal voiced in a telegram received by James Peterson, 1317 Avon street, a cousin, was answered without delay.

Although there is no definite explanation of the trouble which overtook the Sorensen boys, their relatives here believe that in some way they have become victims of the spy mania which news reports declare has been manifested in Canada. No information on the point has been received, however, the telegram appealing for proofs of citizenship stating only "our place wrecked by Canadian soldiers."

Local relatives are anxiously awaiting word of the Sorensens' predicament.

SILK TRAFFIC IS ON THE INCREASE

Eight Cars Make Up Second Train Through City in a Week from Pacific Coast to East

The second silk train within a week yesterday morning went through the north side yards of the Milwaukee road. The train of eight cars came from Seattle, where it arrived by steamer from China and Japan. The cargo was consigned to the New York and Philadelphia markets and was valued at several thousand dollars. This is the second shipment of silk received by the Milwaukee road within a week's time.

The consignment arrived as the second section of coast train No. 16, shortly after 10 o'clock yesterday morning and departed for the east at 10:30. It was held at the north side station long enough to repair a hot box on one of the cars.

North Side Briefs

O'Neil shoe store. Another cut \$1.98. Mrs. Sagen, Minneapolis, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Semington, 817 Sill street.

Miss Silvia Stevens, Caseville, is the guest of Miss Alice Riley, 1502 Wood street.

William Asselin, who is confined to his home, 1523 Kane street, with illness, is recovering.

The ladies of the St. John's church will hold a coffee and card party this evening in the church parlors.

Miss Stella Scholberg is again able to be about after having been confined to her home, 1118 Berlin street, with illness.

Joseph Manger, who has been confined to one of the local hospitals with illness, has returned to his home, 1519 Prospect street.

Arthur Johnson has returned to his home in Prairie du Chien after a visit at the home of Edward Glasen, 1415 George street.

Mrs. Peter Gorder is again able to be about after having been confined to her home, 1327 Kane street, with illness.

Miss Ida Kohn, who spent the past few days with friends on the north side, has returned to her home in Fountain City.

Russell Oliver and wife left this morning for Minneapolis where they will visit friends and relatives.

Mr. John Coughlin is taking Mr. Oliver's place as clerk at the north side yard office of the Milwaukee road.

Mr. Charles Bryowsky is confined at the Lutheran hospital where he underwent an operation.

Miss June Hauge has returned to West Salem where she is teaching school, after spending a few days with friends and relatives on the north side.

J. E. Ryan, Seattle, Wash., former principal of the Fifth ward school, was in the city visiting friends and relatives for the past week.

Mrs. William Dwyer left today for Waukon, Ia., where she will attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. James Kennedy, which will be held tomorrow.

LEAGUE BANQUET
WILL BE SERVED
IN BAPTIST CHURCH

In the basement of the Baptist church on February 22, the North Side Progressive league will hold their annual banquet. The ladies of the Caledonia Street Methodist church will serve. A speaker of renown has been secured to address the members and their friends. His name is withheld for the present, but it was announced his topic will be "Community Spirit."

"So far reservations look good," said Mr. J. G. Dubraks, president of the league, this morning, "and that the biggest crowd of the year will be at the banquet."

DOMESTIC THEATRE TONIGHT

"A Night in The Show"

THE LATEST AND BEST

CHAPLIN

It was our intention to show this special feature only one night, but so many of our people were unable to see it that we arranged to hold it over for TONIGHT. This is absolutely the best thing Charlie Chaplin has ever done. Don't miss it. Also

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BABY GIRL DIES

Grace, twenty-one months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Domstich, 414 Caledonia street, died at her home yesterday afternoon of pneumonia. Funeral services will be held from the home Saturday afternoon and burial will be made in Oak Grove cemetery.

Time and tide wait for no man but that is no reason why a girl should be untidy.

Some women always want the last word; others don't seem to know there is such a thing.

The Normal Presents

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America's Foremost
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Normal Auditorium
Monday, Feb. 21st

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The Tribune's Daily Fashion Hint



SHOWING THE INFLUENCE OF BAKST.

Fashion makers declare that it is impossible to think of new gowns in any but the terms of the Russian ballet and Bakst just now. Not that well-dressed women are adopting stage costumes, but because of the demand for Bakst color combinations. This means simply the introduction of a bold splash of color in the most artistic way possible. The frock to the right is in pale gray embroidered crepe Georgette trimmed with orange silk, the scallops of the embroidery resting on the silk in splendid relief. In medium size the design requires 4 1/2 yards 40-inch wide crepe and 2 yards 40-inch silk.

The second dress is carried out in embroidered voile—a cream background with figures in Mediterranean blue. Flame colored velvet ribbon is laced through the top of the waist. Ruffles of plain blue silk trim the skirt and waist, 2 yards 36-inch silk being required for the trimming and 5 yards 36-inch voile for the dress.

First Model: Pictorial Costume No. 6568. Sizes, 14 to 20 years. Price, 15 cents.

Second Model: Costume No. 6581. Sizes, 16 to 20 years. Price, 15 cents.

California Navel Oranges
Sweeter and Better than Ever.
Two New Cars in Today.
GLENDORA HEIGHTS NAVELS
PURE GOLD BRAND NAVELS
Strawberries and Vegetables
due for Friday and Saturday
JOHN C. BURNS
FRUIT HOUSE

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If you need
HAY
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Electric Needle Removes
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FOREVER
Painless treatment. Leaves no
SCARS.
Margi Herlofsen
905 Main Street
New phone 547-R. Call between
2 and 5 p. m.

CITY NEWS
TICKER

Buy Onalaska Property
Property in Onalaska has been
purchased by Leroy H. Slye, Madella,
Minn., according to a deed filed at
the court today naming Mrs. Birdie
L. Kendall as the grantor.
Three Are "Vagued"
John Boyle, of Pennsylvania, Wil-
liam Butler, Duluth, and Edward
Rogers, claiming he has no home,
were sentenced to thirty days each in
county jail for vagrancy.

FIRE DESTROYS
DE SOTO HOME
DE SOTO, Wis., Feb. 17.—(Spe-
cial)—The home of Mrs. L. R. Axlen
here was almost totally destroyed by
fire yesterday.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES
Allen's Foot—Eaze, the antiseptic powder to be
shaken into the shoes and used in the foot-
bath. It relieves chills, frost-bites, painful
swollen, smarting feet and instantly takes the sting
out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort
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Sold by Druggists everywhere, 25c. Always use
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Sunnyside Egg
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sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, price... **\$2.00**
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Price \$430
Loading space 31x54 inches.
F. O. B. La Crosse.
We carry in stock all styles of
bodies suitable for delivering and
light hauling.

Harry Dahl

Cost vs. Service
To buy SHOES merely because of
the price is a waste of money. The
first consideration is service. It
often happens that by paying a lit-
tle more you get more service
than by purchasing two pairs of
low priced shoes. Look for service
rather than price when you buy
shoes.

W. F. Strauss
320 Pearl St.

CARPENTER WORK
Repairs and Remodeling.
Estimates Cheerfully Given.
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ELROY PLANS BIG
HOMECOMING MEET
FOR JULY FOURTH

ELROY, Wis., Feb. 17.—(Special)—
The business men of Elroy are
planning a big celebration for Home-
coming week, which they plan to hold
July fourth. The name of every for-
mer resident of Elroy is wanted, and
the business men are asking that
they be sent in.

WON'T GET REHEARING

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The in-
terstate commerce commission Wed-
nesday denied the petition of the
National Implements & Vehicle as-
sociation and others for a rehearing in
the western classification territory
decision, giving the railroads an in-
crease of two cents a hundred
pounds on agricultural implements.

REPRIEVED AT LAST MOMENT

HOUSTON, Tex., Feb. 17.—Henry
Tennel, negro, convicted of criminal
assault, was reprieved by Governor
Perguson Wednesday noon, just as
Sheriff Hammond was reading the
death warrant. The negro would
have been hanged five minutes later.
The reprieve granted a respite of
thirty days.

PERSONALS

B. A. Yeomen dance every Tuesday.
George E. Krause, who was for-
merly identified with another cloth-
ing store in the city, is in personal
charge of the Krause Clothing com-
pany, which recently opened for busi-
ness.
C. A. Collieran, Gay Mills, spent
yesterday in the city.
H. C. Shales, Gay Mills, was a busi-
ness caller in the city yesterday.
Fathers, you don't know what an
opportunity you are missing by not
calling at Klaye Bros. New Piano
Store, 603 Main street. You can get
a piano or player piano at a factory
price and on the first twenty pianos
sold during this big opening sale the
big factory that we distribute for
offer to pay your first payment of
from \$90 to \$225. Call, we'll explain
our free proposition.
A. L. Stowell, Gay Mills, called
on friends yesterday while in the
city.
T. Hogan was a visitor from Blair
Tuesday.
S. D. Williams, Winona, spent
Tuesday visiting friends and rela-
tives while in the city.
Don't wait longer. You can ex-
change your "silent" piano at Klaye
Bros. Opening Piano Sale at 603
Main street, for a player that you
and all the family can play. Go in
and see what they will do for you
now.
H. Whitmore, Savanna, transacted
business yesterday in the city.
H. J. Salling and wife registered
at a local hotel yesterday.
J. Waaden was a caller in the city
yesterday from Lanesboro.
J. Valder, Mabel, spent Tuesday
in the city transacting business.
We give free to the first twenty
purchasers of pianos at Klaye Bros.
New Store Opening Sale, 603 Main
street, your first payment of from
\$60 to \$225, a scarf, stool and tuning
for a year. The balance arranged to
suit you.
G. O. Hehmann, Arcadia, was in
the city Tuesday.
G. C. Hardt was in the city yester-
day from Alma Center.
W. Spaulding, Victory, registered
at a local hotel yesterday.
Mrs. Cora Mellen, Victory, spent
yesterday in the city visiting friends
and acquaintances.
Excellent carriages. Gateway City
Transfer Line. Phone 179.
Walter Faber has returned to his
home in this city after spending a
week end with relatives in Fountain
City.
Miss Helen Gallagher was called
home from Fountain City on account
of the illness of her sister of this
city.
Three more handsome player pianos
were sold yesterday to customers
who took advantage of the Klaye
Bros. big opening factory sale at 603
Main street. They make you a fac-
tory proposition that only the first
twenty purchasers will possibly get.
Are you going to be one of the lucky
ones? Call and investigate this propo-
sition, all who ever want to own a
player piano.
Mrs. Henry Nelson has returned
to her home at Chatfield after
spending the past few days with
friends in the city.
H. V. Steinee, Prairie du Chien,
Wis., was a business visitor yester-
day.
L. Gunderson, Delevan, Wis., spent
yesterday here visiting friends and
transacting business.
That little girl of yours has long
wanted a piano. Klaye Bros. opening
sale, 603 Main street, offers you the
greatest offer ever made. See them.
All the latest piano rolls at Klaye
Bros., 603 Main street. They have
just opened this new store and want
you to call and hear them.
W. D. Eklund, Albert Lea, Minn.,
spent yesterday at a local hotel.
G. M. Kemrt, Lansing, Ia., was a
visitor with friends in the city yester-
day.
Attorney Robert S. Cowie, White-
hall, Wis., spent the morning at a
local hotel.

COME ON
Get a 50c bottle of Gray's Yerba
Santa, use half, if not satisfied with
the effects bring balance back and
get your 50c back. It's the greatest,
most wonderful cough cure and cold
cure before the people. Acts alike in
young and old, and contains no nar-
cotics.
CHARLES BEYSCHLAG
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THE MOVIES
THE STRAND
"The Ogre and the Girl"
Three part Lubin drama.
"Microscopic Pond Life"
Interesting and educational.
"The Sufferin' Baby"
Edison comedy.
"Love and the Law"
Sidney Drew comedy.

NOTE: Magazine numbers 12825
to 12875 good today.

DOMESTIC THEATRE
MILLER & GIBSON, Props.
TONIGHT
"The Strange Unknown"
Complete in three parts, fea-
turing Helen Eddy and L. C.
Shumway.
CHARLIE CHAPLIN in
"A Night in the Show"
Charlie's latest success.

THE CASINO
See ad. on page six.
NOTE: Magazine numbers 12825
to 12875 good today.

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TODAY ONLY
"THE YELLOW STAR"
A 101 Bison. Three reel un-
derworld drama. A thrilling
story of San Francisco's
Chinatown, featuring Marie
Walcamp and Frank New-
berg.
"When Lizzie Went to Sea"
Evening 7:30

THE STAR
LAST TIME TONIGHT
Billie Ritchie, Louise Orth and Re-
gie Morris, the funny ones, in a
rousing two reel L-Ko comedy.
Edna Maison and Olive Golden in
"MANNA"
A powerful two reeler, and
"WAR" in Broken Coin

FRIDAY
"LORD JOHN"
Featuring Wm. Garwood, three parts.
Herbert Rawlinson, Agnes Vernon,
etc.
Saturday: Cleo Madison, Ella Hall,
Bob Leonard, Max Asher, Gale
Henry, Lady Balfour, etc. Great
program. See them.

NORMAL CLASSES
REPLAY SCHEDULE
Standings of the Teams
W. L. Pct.
High school 3 1 .750
Senior Physical Eds. 3 1 .750
College 4 2 .667
Junior Physical Eds. 3 3 .500
State Graded 1 4 .200

This week saw the conclusion of
the first lap in the normal class
league schedule, the college quintet
leading. The whole schedule will be
played over again, however, it was
decided by the authorities, so the
champions will not be decided for
many weeks. On Tuesday night the
college played their last game of the
first round, cleaning up the State
Graded 5 to 6, having passed the en-
tire gauntlet of class teams with but
one defeat. However, last night they
were defeated by the Junior physical
eds 15 to 14. The only game played
this week was between the State
Graded and the Junior physical eds,
the State Graders making a whirl-
wind finish and winning by the score
of 29 to 22.

EXTEND NOTES
NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The \$7-
500,000 worth of six per cent two-
year notes of the Chicago, Rock Isl-
and & Pacific, which fell due yester-
day, are being extended for six
months at the same rate of interest
and with the same collateral. Hold-
ers unwilling to accept extensions are
having their notes taken over by Wil-
liam A. Reed & Company.

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PLASTERS
The World's Greatest
External Remedy.
Coughs and Colds
(on chest and another
between shoulder blades)
Weak Chests,
Any Local
Pain.
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TODAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
"THE CONQUEROR"
ANOTHER TRIANGLE PLAY IN WHICH THAT STRONG AND VERSATILE ACTOR
WILLARD MACK AND **ENID MARKEY**
ARE FEATURED
AND FOR GOOD MEASURE WE HAVE
MACK SWAIN AN ALL STAR TRIANGLE "A MOVIE STAR"
KEYSTONE CAST IN
TRIANGLE MOVIES and MUSIC ARE THE GREATEST BARGAIN
EVER HEARD OF FOR A DIME.
10c—MAJESTIC—10c

NATION'S CAPITAL
IS PARADISE OF
FINISHING SCHOOL
(Continued from Page One.)
stantly, then, there is a hush and
they lean over the rail with interest-
ed faces. The girl from home never
altogether loses her awe of the
United States senate. Many of the
senators she afterwards meets at
their wives' receptions, where they
have a curiously changed appear-
ance. At close range she finds that
the august presence is just like pa-
and all the other men back home.

Courses Elastic
The young ladies' seminary is an
institution all its own. It differs from
other schools in that its courses are
expanded or shortened to fit the
needs of the individual pupil, where-
as at public schools and colleges,
the pupil must adapt herself to fit
the courses. If a young woman is
nervous and unable to concentrate,
the seminary prescribes exercises
and sees that she goes through them
daily. If she complains of a tired
feeling and looks anaemic, it does
not insist that she get her algebra
or ancient history, but makes her
sit still every morning and take sun
baths and eggs and milk. Often she
receives better medical care than
she would in her own home.

The seminary is still of the opinion
that the destiny of the majority
of young women is marriage. All the
philosophies of Norway and the care-
fully prepared articles on the econ-
omic independence of woman have left
the seminaries unperturbed with
their waiting lists increasing. They
are going upon the assumption that
woman's place is the home, and that
she could be taught how to take care
of it and understand the social
graces which constitute the customs
of the country. If a girl displays tal-
ent for art or music they develop it
as far as they can, but they also take
equal pains to develop her social
poise and command of a situation.

Society Hints
The seminaries have afternoons at
home, in which guests are invited to
their drawing rooms and under the
instruction and guidance of the
chaperones the students are given
suggestions in welcoming and enter-
taining them. Every once in a while
there is a dance, at which some of
the girls wear plain shirtwaists and
weird masculine ties and pretend
they are men. Sometimes young men
are invited, but this does not occur
often in Washington, where the sup-
ply of unattached young men is neg-
ligible.

One White House reception a
year is always given to the seminary
girls, besides which they attend
many teas and receptions given by
congressional women to the girls of
their states.
In the development of social poise
there is nothing quite so useful as
dramatic art. One of the large sem-
inaries on the outskirts of Wash-
ington has a smaller theater with a
wide stage and red plush furnish-
ings exactly like those of a regular
playhouse. It makes its own scenery
and builds it on the stage, and is
equipped with footlights, spotlight
and boxes and even the usual cheer-
less wings and decrepit dressing-
room stairs. Here the students, of
whom there are 250, have enacted
Romeo and Juliet and Twelfth Night
to their heart's content, unconscious
of the underlying practical purpose.

ASK FOR and GET
HORLICK'S
THE ORIGINAL
MALTED MILK
Cheap substitutes cost YOU same price.

TO REMOVE DANDRUFF
Get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine
at any drug store, pour a little into
your hand and rub well into the
scalp with the finger tips. By morn-
ing most, if not all, of this awful
curf will have disappeared. Two or
three applications will destroy every
bit of dandruff; stop scalp itching
and falling hair.

Bert Jolivet. The soloists, who will
present the ballad and march num-
bers are: A. R. Mitchell, W. M.
Cohen, Bert Miner, H. B. Harshall,
Herman Trepte and Geo. Howe.
A big feature act recently added
to the program and which will be a
riot (if they don't, the audience
will) are the "Four Blackbirds," a
novelty singing act by Emil Nieme-
yer, E. M. Sullivan, Frank Beyer and
Clint Draper. "The Man Behind the

Art Ruplin, chairman of the Elks'
Show Committee, Looking Over
His Bunch of Black-face Artists.

Gun," an act entire new to La Crosse
will be presented by Max Brood and
Fred Wenzel. These gentlemen are
practicing behind closed doors away
from all prying eyes and intend to
make their act the one big hit of the
show. Since the advent of these two
promising comedians on the scene
several other Elks have come forward
and declared their intention of go-
ing in the show and show Max and
"Freddie" that they will have to
"go some" to headline this great bill
of novelties. At any rate it's going
to be a great show and if you don't
go you will miss the best local tal-
ent entertainment you ever saw and
one that will eclipse most of the pro-
fessional shows in the number of
song hits, clever comedy and novel-
ty acts presented. The costumes and
scenery for the show have arrived
and everything is about ready for the
opening performance.

\$100 Reward, \$100
The readers of this paper will be pleased to
learn that there is at least one dreaded disease
that science has been able to cure in all its
stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure
is the only positive cure now known to the med-
ical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional
disease, requires a constitutional treatment.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting
directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of
the system, thereby destroying the foundation
of the disease, and giving the patient strength
by building up the constitution and assisting
nature in doing its work. The proprietors have
so much faith in its curative powers that they
offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it
fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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ELKS' MINSTRELS
Opens At Majestic Theatre
TOMORROW MORNING AT 10 O'CLOCK
Prices \$1.00 and 50c

BURROWS
407-409 MAIN STREET

Suits

\$7.50

Only 31 Suits in this lot, ranging in price from \$22.50 to \$45.00. This includes every suit in stock, and is the last clearance of the season. On sale at this remarkable low price

FRIDAY ONLY

First come—first served.

Complete Showing of Spring Suits, Coats, Dresses

RUSS FRENZIEDLY CELEBRATE FALL OF TURK FORTRESS

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drive, it is not believed here that Enver Pasha will risk sending large forces to the Suez.

Cossack squadrons, it is assumed here, are pressing the retreating Turks, who must continue their flight for several days before arriving at any base where they can make a stand. The grand duke's main forces probably will be halted within the walls of Erzerum for several days, recuperating from the hardships of the campaign in the snows.

Turks Say Losses 5,000

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 17.—Five thousand Russian soldiers were killed and several thousand wounded in the last three days of fighting before Erzerum, according to dispatches from Constantinople today.

The report as to the casualties was contained in an official statement given out by the Turkish war office, the dispatch said. The Russians made desperate frontal attacks upon the Turkish forts with reckless disregard for human lives, it was stated.

No mention was made of the report of Erzerum's capture by the Russians.

German Mark Slumps

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Capture of Erzerum by the Russians has caused a record breaking slump in the price of the German mark, according to dispatches from Amsterdam today.

Booty is Great

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WATCH REPAIRING

that positively satisfies. A watch that has been repaired at Irvine's must run like a new watch, and must also have the appearance as nearly as is possible of a new watch.

Half way methods are not tolerated here. The job must be done right before it leaves our hands.

If your watch is not a good timekeeper, let us estimate the cost of making it a satisfactory timepiece.

IRVINE'S, 429 Main St.
Geo. Irvine in charge

TILLMAN FINISHES BILLS FOR FEDERAL MUNITIONS CONTROL

Acquisition of Armor Plate Plant and Enlargement of Powder Factory Included

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Senator Tillman has completed the series of bills, which at Secretary Daniels' suggestion he has introduced for governor ownership of war supplies. The purchase, erection or condemnation of an armor plate plant. Enlargement of the government plant.

Construction of a munitions plant in connection with the armor plate factory.

Equipment of three navy yards to build battleships.

With these Secretary Daniels hopes not only to bring about government ownership in two or three years, as soon as construction can be finished—but to prevent private companies from charging extra prices meantime.

It takes a silly woman to make a fool of a smart man.

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The fact that the city fell within five days after the Russians began storming the forts makes it appear possible that the captures, both in men and guns, were large. Means of exit from Erzerum under ordinary circumstances are very meager and with the city virtually surrounded by Russian troops in the last few days of fighting and heavy snows making highways impassable, it is believed thousands of Turkish troops were unable to make their way to safety.

The gun captures in Erzerum may prove of immense value. Several hundred pieces in the city's forts are reported to have been of modern construction, having been purchased from the Krupp factory before the outbreak of the war.

LEAP FROM LADDER BREAKS BOTH LEGS

Gustav A. Voigt Meets with Accident While Cleaning Snow from Roof of Home

WILL NOT WALK FOR MONTHS

X-Ray Reveals Both Bones Snapped Above Ankles; Steps Slipped from Under and He Jumped

A leap from a falling ladder at his home yesterday afternoon resulted in the fracture of both legs of Gustav A. Voigt, 218 North Eighth street, manager of the Voigt Manufacturing company. X-ray pictures taken today revealed that both bones in the legs were snapped just above the ankles. It will be several months before Mr. Voigt can walk again.

The accident occurred while Mr. Voigt was cleaning snow from the roof of his home. The ladder was erected against the wall upon a cement sidewalk. While Mr. Voigt was near the top, the ladder began to slide from under him, and he jumped clear. He struck flat-footed upon the sidewalk. The fall was about fifteen feet.

CARD OF THANKS.

I desire to thank my many friends and neighbors and especially the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers for their many kindnesses and floral offerings during my recent bereavement.

MRS. CHARLES JAMES.

MINERS' DELEGATES ABOUT TO CONTRACT WITH OPERATORS

MOBILE, Ala., Feb. 17.—Mine workers' representatives on the wage dispute sub-committee today are on the point of entering into a two year contract with operators from Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois, calling for an increase in wages and compliance with their mine run demands.

Patriotism always stands in with the government.

WORK TEACHERS OF FOUR CITIES WILL MEET ON SATURDAY

Sectional Conference Will Be Held at High School with Local Men Prominent on Program

Continuation school teachers of four cities—La Crosse, Eau Claire, Menomonie and Chippewa Falls—will meet at the local high school on Saturday in the annual sectional conference. La Crosse educators, including Superintendent of Schools L. P. Benetz, who delivers the address of welcome, will occupy prominent places on the program.

L. W. Silberschmidt, chairman of the Safety First Measures committee, will deliver a leading address on "Safety First" work. "The Enforcement of Industrial School Legislation" will be the topic of District Attorney Otto M. Schlabach.

The program:

Morning Session—9:00 to 12:00. Address of Welcome—L. P. Benetz, Supt. schools, La Crosse.

The Chippewa Falls Cottage Plan as a means of Providing Practical Instruction—C. J. Brewer, Superintendent schools, Chippewa Falls.

Art Needle Work—Miss Mary Ehrhardt, instructor in Art Needle Work, Menomonie, Wis.

How the Business Men and School People Can Work Together to Produce Competent Bookkeepers—W. R. Thompson, University Extension Division, La Crosse.

The Continuation School Boy—Miss Hattie Mordell, director industrial schools, Chippewa Falls.

To What Extent are the Continuation School People Responsible for Their Students After Working Hours?—Miss Josephine Mahoney, Continuation Day school instructor, La Crosse.

The Qualifications of Continuation School Teachers—J. O. Steendahl, director of industrial schools, Menomonie, Wis.

How are We to Meet the Demand for Competent Maids?—Mrs. L. C. Hirschheimer, La Crosse.

"Safety First"—L. W. Silberschmidt, chairman Safety Measures committee, La Crosse.

What Does Evening School Instruction Offer to the Students?—Miss Lulu Knutson, forelady of the La Crosse Rubber Mills, La Crosse.

The Function of the Manual Training Courses—Open discussion, E. A. Peart, C. D. Browner, C. Erickson, W. Mayo.

Short Unit Courses—T. G. Sutherland, director industrial schools, La Crosse.

Luncheon at 12 m. High School lunch room, served by girls of Industrial school.

Round Table—Warren E. Hicks, assistant for industrial education, Wisconsin.

After session 2:00 to 5:30:

The Enforcement of Industrial School Legislation—O. M. Schlabach, district attorney, La Crosse.

How Can Continuation School Instruction Best Serve to Elevate the Efficiency of the Students, in the Shops and Homes; from the Standpoint of a Business Man—D. W. MacWillie, manager Wisconsin Pearl Button Works, La Crosse.

Opinions Formed from Observation of Students of the Day Continuation Schools—C. C. Winn, University Extension Division, La Crosse.

How Much Science Should There be Taught in Household Arts Courses?—Miss G. L. Brandt, Continuation Day school instructor, La Crosse.

Practical Dressmaking Instruction—Miss M. Tillman, evening school instructor, La Crosse.

Application of Evening School Instruction to Home Practice—Miss Ella Cronk, evening school instructor, La Crosse.

A Commercial Course for Evening Continuation School Students—R. H. Butler, head of commercial department, La Crosse High school.

Physical Training—O. E. Horne, evening school physical training instructor, La Crosse.

WILSON ANSWERS ATTACKS ON HIS MEXICAN POLICY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—President Wilson's answer to attacks on his administration's Mexican policy was embodied in a report sent to the senate this afternoon in response to a resolution by Senator Fall.

In the three years, 1913, 1914 and 1915, seventy-six Americans were killed in Mexico, said the report, as compared with forty-seven in the previous three years. When there was less domestic strife. In this same period, it was admitted, twenty American civilians and sixteen soldiers met their death at Mexican hands on American soil.

Carranza was finally recognized, it was said, in preference to Villa because the Villa organization seemed to be disintegrating and because the Carranza forces were in undisputed possession of three-quarters of all the territory of Mexico.

While admitting that the Carranza government at present is military rather than a constitutional, the report says this government's best course is to continue as at present. A prophecy is made that the present conditions will be succeeded by the establishment of government with regular elections and other constitutional forms.

VAST TERRITORY INUNDATED AFTER BREAKS OF LEVEES

NATCHEZ, Miss., Feb. 17.—Newellton, a town of 2,000, was submerged by sea water which swept through Tensas basin today as a result of the Mississippi levee gap, which has widened to 700 feet. It was estimated the flood now covers 125,000 acres. It is spreading rapidly.

St. Joseph, La., with 1,500 population will be completely surrounded by nightfall, but the town may be saved by the levee.

Railroads, motorboats and river steamers worked valiantly to bring all persons out of the flood zone. The total area that will be covered was estimated at 1,500 square miles.

MABEL RESIDENT DIES IN HOSPITAL

Ole Tholleson, a retired farmer residing in Mabel, Minn., died early this morning at a local hospital after a long illness. He was 56 years old. The body was sent to his home, where funeral services will be held tomorrow. Burial will be made in the cemetery at Mabel.

MRS. E. WENZEL DIES AT HER HOME

Anna E. Wenzel, wife of Andrew Wenzel, died at her home at 10:00 o'clock last evening after an extended illness. She was 63 years, 6 months and 5 days old at the time of her death. Funeral arrangements will be made later.

LAST TIMES TONIGHT

"The MILL on The FLOSS"

GEORGE ELIOT'S WELL KNOWN BOOK, FEATURING

DAINTY MIGNON ANDERSON and ISOLDE ILLIAN a La Crosse Girl

THIS IS A FIVE PART MASTER PICTURE, AND ONE THAT WILL PLEASE ALL WHO SEE IT.

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NORMAL LISTENS TO RECOLLECTIONS OF LINCOLN'S FRIEND

E. T. Ellsworth Recalls His Talks with the Great Emancipator at Meeting This Morning

Annual Washington-Lincoln observances were held at the normal auditorium, A. H. Sanford told of George Washington, the patriot farmer, and E. T. Ellsworth reminisced of President Lincoln in war time. Mr. Ellsworth has talked with the great emancipator and received personal attention from him.

The most entertaining features of the morning's program were the numerous dramatic stunts put on by the training school pupils. They portrayed various scenes of Abraham Lincoln's life, showing him as student, lawyer and president. The costumes were especially well selected.

The program of the morning follows:

Patriotic songs—By the school.

George Washington, the patriot farmer—Professor Sanford.

Reminiscences of President Lincoln in War Time—Mr. E. T. Ellsworth.

Dramatization, scenes from the life of Lincoln—Training school pupils.

CHIMNEY FIRE

Small damage occurred at the residence of Thomas Clemens, 615 Jackson street, yesterday, when a chimney caught fire. Hose company No. 3 responded to the alarm.

Seventh and Market streets, and at Third and Vine streets.

Commissioner Alexander asked by what means these points had been selected as those of maximum loading, and Mr. Kassebaum gave the commission's engineers as his authority. The figures were theirs, he said. Mr. Higbee went a little deeper into the question, however, and developed that Mr. Kassebaum had taken no account of a set of figures showing the rate of crowding at Seventh and Main streets. These figures were also prepared by the representatives of the commission.

"Twenty-five people might have dismounted before the cars got to Sixteenth and Main streets, might they not?" Mr. Higbee asked the engineer. Mr. Kassebaum admitted it was possible.

Concerning crowding, Mr. Kassebaum said he believed it a physical impossibility to crowd 117 passengers on a north side car, as a witness yesterday testified he had seen. Ninety-four or ninety-five is the maximum possible, he said. A car is not overcrowded that has passengers equalling two-and-a-quarter times its seating capacity, he said. On a thirty-seat car, this means about 67 people, he said.

Commissioner Alexander asked Mr. Kassebaum what authority he based his estimate upon. The engineer said that the figures were those of his experience in cases before other utility commissions, but he said he knew of none that had accepted the computation as correct basis for figuring over-crowding.

Too Late to Classify

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Saturday, February 19th

PAUL LUTZ

203 Main Street.

Maclyn Arbuckle

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The Reform Candidate

Our second "Pallas" feature, with specially written music for the pipe organ and violin. This Frohman star needs no introduction to Bijou patrons. This picture relates "Boss" Hoke's personal version of Frank Grandell's sensational defeat for mayor.

The Paramount News Pictures show the latest current events. A big six reel show lasting one and one-half hours.

Tonight, Friday and Saturday

The BIJOU—House of Paramount



EASY TO COOK AND
"OH, SO GOOD!"

Those La Crosse housekeepers who are often puzzled about meals, should serve the deliciously appetizing "Minnesota" spaghetti at least twice each week.

The whole family, and the men folks particularly, will like the delicious flavor of "Minnesota" spaghetti, and it gives them strength and vitality without overloading the stomach. It is much better than so many heavy meals of meat.

And besides, "Minnesota" spaghetti is so easy to prepare and you make a big saving in household expenses if you serve it often. It costs only about one cent a dish, yet it is four times as nutritious as beefsteak.

But be sure and insist on "Minnesota" spaghetti made from genuine durum wheat with all the nourishing gluten left in.

LANGDON DEPUTY
HIGH PRIEST OF
ROYAL ARCH MASONS

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 17.—Judge Aldro Jenks, of Dodgeville, Wis., was elected grand high priest of the Royal Arch Masons of Wisconsin, at the convention here. Other officers chosen are: Deputy high priest, John E. Longdon, La Crosse; grand secretary, W. W. Perry, Milwaukee; and grand treasurer, David H. Wright, Madison. This is the forty-sixth time Wright has been chosen grand treasurer.

MAKES THE STOMACH
FEEL FINE

Mi-o-na Quickly Stops Heartburn Sourness, Gas and All Miseries of Indigestion

It's a pleasure to sell a medicine when customers come in afterward and tell you how much good it has done them.

Druggists everywhere can tell of this experience in their sale of Mi-o-na, the well-known stomach remedy. And that is the reason why they are always glad to sell and recommend Mi-o-na. It does the work and ends all stomach distress just like the Mi-o-na people say it will. As a result of this success most every druggist goes a step further and sells Mi-o-na on a positive guarantee that unless it helps the purchaser he can have his money back. That may seem rash, but customers have said so many good words in Mi-o-na's favor that very few packages are likely to be returned.

Anyone who has dyspepsia, whose food does not digest well, and who has to take thought as to what he can eat and when, can leave 50 cents deposit at any drug store and take home a box of Mi-o-na and if the remedy does not regulate his digestion and help his dyspepsia he can withdraw his money.

This shows great faith in the merit of Mi-o-na. It is really a most unusual medicine and the rapid increase of sales since it was introduced in La Crosse shows that it does all that it is claimed to do—relieves dyspepsia, regulates digestion and enables those who use it to eat just what they want with no fear of trouble after. Sold by all leading druggists in this vicinity.

SPARTA EDITOR TO
REPRESENT SPARTA
AT MADISON MEET

James Spradling Will Go to Convention at Capital City for the Sparta Advancement Association

SPARTA, Wis., Feb. 17.—(Special.)—At the regular business meeting of the Advancement association held in the city hall Tuesday, James Spradling, editor of the Monroe County Democrat, was selected to represent the Sparta association at a meeting of delegates of similar organizations to be held this week in Madison.

The committee who has been canvassing for funds to improve the road to the rifle range, reported that the firm of Dodge and Davis had added \$100 to the subscription list, making a total now of about \$1,070, that has been raised.

Dairymen Gather

The dairy meeting here Tuesday was in reality the annual meeting of three distinct associations, and at the meeting a committee of three, one representing each association, was appointed to look after the welfare of their own representatives while they were guests in the city. Warren Aney, of the Jersey Breeders' association; Julius Johnson, of the Holstein, and Will Hanchett, of the Guernsey people.

Waring Breaks Down

Tomah will be greatly surprised to hear of the ill fortune that has befallen Egbert I. Waring, an esteemed citizen of Sparta.

Ill health, followed by a severe attack of the grip, has so effected his mind, that it became necessary to remove him to Mendota, and he was taken there on the Northwestern train.

Mr. Waring has been a resident of Sparta for many years and has held various offices at different times.

For several years he was deputy sheriff and also has served in the capacity of chief of police.

Farmers Meet

A farmers' and dairymen's meeting was held here yesterday, the first of its kind in this part of the state.

Charles Van de Schaaf, president of the Western Wisconsin Holstein Breeders' association was instrumental in getting the meeting for Sparta.

The convention was held in the city hall. The program for the day was as follows:

10:30, address, "Improvement of Livestock in Wisconsin," George McKerraw; 11:15, music, high school orchestra; 11:30, address, "The Dairy Cow for Profit," by John B. Irwin, owner of the world's champion dairy cow; 12:00, dinner. The visitors were the guests of the Advancement association at dinner which was served in the basement of the city hall.

Court Jurors

The Monroe county circuit court will open its spring term March 6. Following is the list of jurors:

George W. Kelk, Oakdale; Albert Zebell, Portland; John Breidenbach, Wells; Frank Heiser, Cashton; Martin Rapp, Norwalk; Fred Dagenhart, Jefferson; Hubert Schank, Kendall; S. W. Kellogg, Oakdale; Chris. Hendricks, City of Tomah; George Helding, Lincoln; Joe Dana, LaFayette; A. J. Jewett, City of Sparta; Wm. Heiser, Sr., Greenfield; Wm. Senogles, Greenfield; A. F. Nienast, Angelo; L. H. Evans, Town of Sparta; John F. Reiber, Tomah; E. A. Lewis, City of Sparta; Jake Meyer, Ridgeville; George Bergh, Ontario; John Kemp, City of Sparta; Henry Boring, Wellington; Louis Stacker, Ridgeville; Emil Solberg, Leon; Nels N. Nelson, Portland; Liss Whittinger, Wellington; John Huppler, City of Sparta; W. H. Caldwell, City of Tomah; N. V. Jewett, Sparta; Henry Vinz, Oakdale; Ed. Vandervort, Tomah; John Adams, Ridgeville; W. W. Wombill, Lincoln; Chas. Van der Schaaf, Sparta (town).

Debaters Victorious

Success crowned the efforts of the Sparta debating teams last week, they winning both debates at Viroqua and at Sparta Friday night, with a score of 2 to 1.

The question, "Resolved, that the policy of Philippine independence as set forth in the democratic platform of 1912 should be carried into effect," was debated against La Crosse.

SYRUP OF FIGS
FOR CROSS, SICK
FEVERISH CHILD

If little 'stomach is sour, liver torpid or bowels clogged.

Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, and they become tightly packed, liver gets sluggish and stomach disordered.

When cross, feverish, restless, see if tongue is coated, then give this delicious "fruit laxative." Children love it, and it can't cause injury. No difference what ails your little one—if full of cold, or a sore throat, diarrhoea, stomach-ache, bad breath, remember, a gentle "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." We make no smaller size. Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

at home, and the negative team went to Viroqua.

The affirmative team was composed of Hubert Harlan, Tyler Barney, and Alex Nicol. The negative team consisted of Arthur Douglas, Carl Berry and Raymond King.

Local and Personal

Mrs. Alba Howe is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Howe.

Rev. Henry Willmann of Janesville secretary of the Milwaukee Episcopal diocese was expected in the city yesterday. While here he will be a guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Brown at their home at the state school.

The Royal Neighbors and their families and invited guests had an unusually enjoyable time Tuesday evening at their party in Woodman hall. Supper was served at 7 after which the evening was spent in dancing and card playing, until the wee, small hours of the morning.

Kenneth Brown entertained at a dinner party last night at his home in celebration of his birthday.

Gladys Rich has returned to Tunnel City, after a couple of days' visit here with relatives.

Mrs. Joseph King slipped on the steps at the Congregational church Thursday evening and severely sprained her ankle.

Harley Jefferson, who was very ill for several days is convalescent and able to be about again.

George Chaffee is in Milwaukee this week attending the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, representing the Chapter No. 19, R. A. M., of Sparta, in place of Mr. Foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brant entertained yesterday at a dinner party for their friends.

A party of Beaver Creek residents enjoyed a sleigh ride to the city on Friday evening and had a social hour.

OUCH! BACKACHE!
RUB LUMBAGO OR
PAIN FROM BACK

Rub stiffness away with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacob's Oil."

Ah! Pain is gone!

Quickly?—Yes. Almost instant relief from soreness, stiffness, lameness and pain follows a gentle rubbing with "St. Jacob's Oil."

Rub this soothing, penetrating oil right on your painful back, and like magic, relief comes. "St. Jacob's Oil" is a harmless backache, lumbago and sciatica cure which never disappoints and doesn't burn the skin.

Straighten up! Quit complaining! Stop those torturous "stitches." In a moment you will forget that you ever had a weak back, because it won't hurt or be stiff or lame. Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" from your druggist now and get this lasting relief.

UPPER FLOORS OF
TRIBUNE BUILDING
OFFERED FOR RENT

Ideal Quarters for Lodge or Club Rooms and for Business Enterprises Now Available

The second and third floors of the Tribune Building, 201-203 S. 5th St., may be leased upon reasonable terms. With ample space and light from all four sides, they offer an ideal location for lodge or club rooms, and would provide attractive housing for a business enterprise, to either of which their central and pleasant location would be advantageous.

Between this time and the first day of April the Tribune Building will be entirely remodeled and a large addition erected, and this circumstance makes the present an exceptionally favorable time for closing a lease upon the upper floors. The manager of the Tribune has the matter in hand.

or two at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Baldwin.

Will Marquette took the Standard Bearer of the M. E. church for a sleigh ride party yesterday.

The Epworth league enjoyed a sleigh ride and party last night to the home of W. E. Bush on Bush Prairie.

Mr. James Snedden, who has been in the city a few days, left Saturday for Appleton, in the interest of a hardware firm for which he is traveling.

Mrs. Vera Willgans was a La Crosse caller the last of the week.

Mrs. Robert Rutledge of Omaha, Neb., is visiting friends and relatives here.

The clubs of the city were entertained as follows this week:

The Home Study club enjoyed a banquet at the home of Mrs. David Hemstock last night.

The Alexanderians meet today with Mrs. Hattie Richardson.

The Entre Nous gather at the home of Mrs. George Seidell this afternoon.

The Coterie club meets with Mrs. Harry Newton.

It has been decided to pave a section of something over two blocks on West Montgomery street from Court street to Merrill. The pavement will be of brick and will be put in this coming season.

The Valley Lodge, F. and A. M., will hold their regular meeting tonight at Masonic hall, at which time the degree of Fellow Craft will be conferred.

Knights Templar are notified that drills for their annual inspection will be held each Thursday night, beginning tonight.

Three men who have been in the county jail here for a week or more, were taken to Tomah for trial. They were suspected of stealing from farmers' wagons at Tomah.

Clarence Steele, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Steele, who has been employed for some time in a bank at Mohawk, N. D., has returned to his home in this city and has accepted a position in the Bank of Sparta.

Cyrus and George McCumber were callers in La Crosse on Sunday.

A little daughter has joined the household of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brooks in Farmers' Valley.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church will meet today at 3 o'clock. Topic, "A Nation at School." Mrs. Van Antwerp will have charge of the program. There will be special music both vocal and instrumental. Mrs. Marquette will conduct the devotionals. Supper and a social hour will follow the program.

Carpenters are busy today at the Earle Benedict home, repairing damage done to the house by a fire Sunday afternoon, which started near the chimney while the family was away. Quite a hole was burned in the roof and considerable damage was done by the water, but the company had the fire out in a short time.

Mrs. Louis Erickson and two sons, Raymond and Robert, of Tunnel City, have returned home, after a several days' visit here with friends and relatives.

Arthur Shields has been sick for several days and was unable to attend to his duties as clerk at Hotel Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Fulton are visiting in Camp Douglas.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Congregational church will

SAYS BODY IS A
POISON FACTORY

Urges everyone to drink glass of hot water before breakfast

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of combustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken day after day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated from the system each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste, toxins and ptomain-like poisons are formed and sucked into the blood.

Men and women who can't get feeling right must begin to take inside baths. Before eating breakfast each morning drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash out of the thirty feet of bowels the previous day's accumulation of poisons and toxins and to keep the entire alimentary canal clean, pure and fresh.

Those who are subject to sick headache, colds, biliousness, constipation, others who wake up with bad taste, foul breath, backache, rheumatic stiffness, or have a sour, gassy stomach after meals, are urged to get a quarter pound limestone phosphate from the drug store, and begin practicing internal sanitation. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on the subject.

Remember inside bathing is more important than outside bathing, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing poor health, while the bowel pores do. Just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

meet this afternoon at 2:30. The topic, "A survey of our foreign work" will be led by Mrs. Paul Schaller.

George Putman is in St. Mary's hospital where he was operated upon for hernia.

Miss Margaret Peacock has returned home from Chicago, where she attended the spring millinery openings.

Mr. Bartz, a hardware dealer at Elroy, was in the city yesterday, a guest of Ed. Arnold.

Paul Little has returned home from Cuba City, where he has been for the past month.

Hans Twesme, representing the Sparta Monumental works, was in Melrose the first of the week on business booking orders for monuments to be erected there.

Mrs. Edward Daugherty is visiting relatives in Steuben.

Miss Margaret Flock of La Crosse is a guest in the city.

Ends Dry, Hoarse or
Painful Coughs
Quickly

A Simple, Home-Made Remedy, Inexpensive but Unequaled

The prompt and positive results given by this pleasant tasting, home-made cough syrup has caused it to be used more homes than any other remedy. It gives almost instant relief and will usually overcome the average cough in 2 hours.

Get 2 1/2 ounces Pinex (50 cents worth) from any drug store, pour it into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. This makes a full pint—a family supply—of the most effective cough remedy at a cost of only 50 cents or less. You couldn't buy as much ready-made cough medicine for \$2.50. Easily prepared and never spoils. Full directions with Pinex.

The promptness, certainty and ease with which this Pinex Syrup overcomes a bad cough, chest or throat cold is truly remarkable. It quickly loosens a dry, hoarse or tight cough and heals and soothes a painful cough in a hurry. With a persistent loose cough it stops the formation of phlegm in the throat and bronchial tubes, thus ending the annoying hacking.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, rich in gualacal and is famous the world over for its splendid effect in bronchitis, whooping cough, bronchial asthma and winter coughs.

To avoid disappointment in making this, ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex," and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

FIRST LEAP YEAR
BRIDE CAN'T USE
ALL HER GIFTS

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., Feb. 17.—What to do with some of the presents offered by business men to the first leap year bride puzzled Mrs. James Herbert Twedell, 17.

The bride, who was Miss Salile Eldora Brown, of Crofton, and the groom, 18, made affidavits that she proposed St. Valentine's eve.

A free license was given them and they were married without charge by Judge Walter Knight. The presents included a mule, \$300 worth of premium tickets, wedding ring, cake, shower bouquet, meat, groceries, dresses, rocking chairs, two settings of eggs, life size photographs, 1,000 pounds of ice, box of cigars, wedding supper, twelve bottles of castoria and a tombstone.

Homer, Minn.

HOMER, Minn., Feb. 17.—Captain and Mrs. S. B. Withrow spent Tuesday with relatives in Winona.

Mrs. A. J. Rick returned Sunday from a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Semling, who lives near Fountain City.

Miss Charlotte Fish was in attendance at the meeting of the County Teachers' association at Lewiston, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cassler of the fisheries station are entertaining a friend from Duluth.

Miss Anna Hill of Winona is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill.

E. R. Widmyer has resumed his duties at the fisheries station after enjoying a short vacation.

Miss Anna Hanson came down from Winona Sunday morning to spend the day with friends here.

Lois Pumphrey recently appointed laborer at the fisheries station arrived here Friday.

Mrs. Jacob Hill is spending a few days with relatives in Winona.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Varnum have returned from a few days visit with relatives at points up the river. Mr. Brown of Dakota acted as agent at the depot during Mr. Varnum's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sampson of Homer Ridge spent Friday in Winona.

Earl Nash of the University of Minnesota, came down from the cities to spend Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Nash.

Mr. Bescup, who has been laid up with rheumatism for some time, has gone to Winona for medical treatment.

A sleigh-ride to Winona and return was enjoyed by a bunch from here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Whitlock drove to Winona Tuesday.

Dol Brown of Stockton called on friends here the first of the week.

Mesdames B. J. Kaiser and C. R. Redfield were Winona visitors Friday afternoon.

FINE ENTERTAINMENT
YOUNG PEOPLE OF
LANSING CHURCH GIVE

LANSING, Iowa, Feb. 17.—(Special.)—The services Sunday evening at the First Presbyterian church, rendered by the Y. P. C. E. S. are pronounced the most artistic and at the same time effective that has been given in Lansing for a good many months. The leading parts were taken by Miss Chevilion, a member of the high school faculty and Frances Richie, a student of the high school.

The characters they represented required acting of a high order and there were but few of the audience who were not moved by the work of these two ladies. They were ably supported by Delinda Roggensack, Rose Thompson, Doris Alstrom, Mary Albert, Elizabeth Pape and Neva Hausman and a chorus of girls. Music by the choir, together with a vocal duet by George Ashom and Delbert Roggensack, helped make this program one of the best ever taking place in town.

The high school gymnasium is now in first class condition, except for one basket not being up yet for the playing of basketball. Regular schedules have been made for the use of the gymnasium by the boys and girls of the high school and also for the men and women of the town.

END INDIGESTION
OR STOMACH PAIN
IN FIVE MINUTES

"Pape's Diapepsin" makes sick, sour, gassy stomachs feel fine.

Time it! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most certain indigestion remedy in the whole world, and besides it is harmless.

Millions of men and women now eat their favorite foods without fear—they know Pape's Diapepsin will save them from any stomach misery.

Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it; enjoy it, without dread of rebellion in the stomach.

Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. Should one of the family eat something which don't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.

WILLARD MACK IN
"THE CONQUEROR"

"The Conqueror" is the name of another Triangle play in which Willard Mack, strong and versatile actor, gives a wonderful dramatic presentation of the way society repays the man who has won his position through sheer work. The gripping story of the price demanded for the hand of a society daughter forms a picture that will furnish more than its share of entertainment.

Tonight, Friday and Saturday this picture is to be seen at the Majestic theater, and for good measure Mack Twain and an all star Keystone cast in the Triangle comedy, "A Movie Star," will be on the same program.

When you beg a girl for a kiss and she turns you down it naturally makes you peevish to see the way she slobbers over a six-weeks-old baby.

MANY CASES OF
RHEUMATISM NOW

Says We Must Keep Feet Dry, Avoid Exposure and Eat Less Meat.

Stay off the damp ground, avoid exposure, keep feet dry, eat less meat, drink lots of water and above all take a spoonful of salts occasionally to keep down uric acid.

Rheumatism is caused by poisonous toxin, called uric acid, which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine.

The pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinges of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink which overcomes uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.

BRINGING UP FATHER



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By GEORGE McMANUS

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YOUNG MEN—You will find here a selection of suits no matter what your choice of color or style may be, for early or late spring wear, in fancy grey mixtures, checks, all the new stripes and blue serges. Prices from\$8.50 to \$25.00

MEN'S SUITS—In regular and stout sizes, in fancy colors, and for the conservative dresser we have the plain mixtures, plain gray, brown, blue serge and black. Prices from\$12.50 to \$25.00 All are Union made.

BOYS' SUITS—The kind that will wear, in all the latest colors, all suits have two pair of trousers, excepting blue serges. Prices from\$2.95 to \$7.50

HATS for Men and Young Men—A very large assortment to select from in all the latest shapes and colors. Prices from\$2.00 to \$2.50 All are Union made.

SHOES—For men and young men, the kind that will wear and keep their shape, for dress or work, in button or lace, black or tan. Union made. Prices from\$2.50 to \$4.00

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You will find it handy. Our terms are worth while considering, as they are as reasonable as can be found anywhere in the city.

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NOTICE!

As our stock was all purchased this year, you will not be in any danger of selecting a shop-worn or out of date garment.

Norsk tales her!

DE SOTO LUTHERANS IN ANNUAL MEETING

Members Decide Upon Parochial School for Summer and Send Delegate to the Annual Synod

DE SOTO, Wis., Feb. 17.—(Special.)—The annual meeting of the Norwegian Lutheran church was held Tuesday, Feb. 15. R. Anderson was re-elected trustee, Edward Olson, treasurer and Ole Jovsanger, secretary. Henry Simonson will represent the congregation at the annual convention of the Norwegian synod to be held in Minneapolis, May 18, 1916. It was decided to have four weeks of parochial school the coming summer. Besides paying the running expenses of the church, about \$150 has been raised by the congregation for mission and synodical purposes during the past year.

Dwelling Burns

The dwelling house of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Axlin, located in the Asbury Ridge neighborhood, was totally destroyed by fire. Only a few articles of furniture were saved.

Neighbors seeing the flames hurried to the scene, but by the time they reached the house the flames had gained such headway as to render all efforts to save the structure unavailing. A liberal insurance was carried.

August Veglahn Dies

August Veglahn, one of the old residents, passed away at his home on Victory Ridge, Thursday night, aged eighty-two years, the remains being interred in the Badax Lutheran cemetery.

Local and Personal

Mrs. D. M. Cilley departed Wednesday for Madison to visit her son Leslie, who has been sick the past three weeks at the university infirmary.

Edward Morton, Retreat, slipped and fell on the ice, fracturing two ribs.

Ole Sletten of the Badax community, was a business caller in town on Monday. He is just recovering from a very sore hand, with which he has been laid up most of the winter, the result of infection sustained from handling rotten wood.

Dr. Tiedeman went to Viroqua on Monday, on business pertaining to the E. L. Pettigill estate.

Henry Delaney of Retreat returned home Tuesday noon from a business trip to La Crosse.

Dr. E. J. Tiedemann and family have removed from the Beardsley residence to the Mrs. Etta Clark Kuhn place on Main street.

Miss Anna Spears of Romance, Wis., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Kuhn departed Monday morning for Shepherd, Montana, where they begin proving upon a government claim.

Miss Blanche Kimberlin of Ferryville, was in DeSoto securing medical treatment for a case of ivy poison on her hands.

Ernie Slater of Laurel Mont., who has been at Retreat for the past six weeks visiting relatives and friends, departed from here, Monday morning on his return home.

Owing to the supposed late public exposure to diphtheria, the Ferryville school was ordered closed for a week. But up to date no case of the disease has appeared.

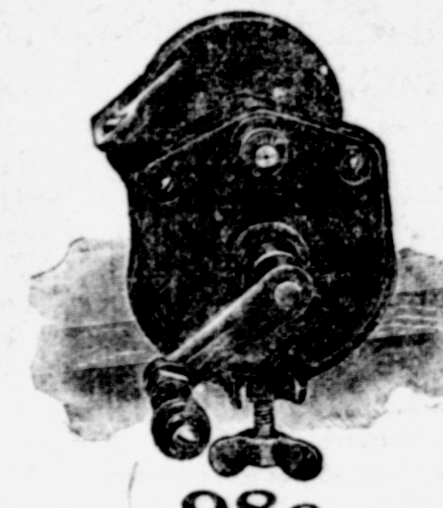
The Ferryville Yeoman held a meeting last Friday at which two new members, John Horne and Rudolph Swiggum were adopted as full fledged Archers.

The Ferryville Royal Neighbors are preparing a social treat in the shape of a grand leap year ball. Hazel Copsey and Ethel Jensen are billed

SPECIAL DEMONSTRATION

Luther Household Grinders

Come in THIS WEEK and see the workings of the handiest machine ever built for family use—THE LUTHER HOUSEHOLD GRINDER—the little wonder that sharpens the dulllest shears and knives in a few seconds on its marvelous wheel of Dymo-Grit, the ARTIFICIAL DIAMOND sharpening substance.



Any Shears or Knife Sharpened FREE

Bring in any knife or pair of shears—the duller the better—any time THIS WEEK—and we'll sharpen it Free to show what the Luther Household Grinder will do.

This great household grinder quickly clamps to any shelf, table or bench. Anybody can operate it without skill or practice. Special guides prevent mistakes. Accidents are impossible. It's dust-proof. Won't draw temper. It will put a keen edge on all your cutlery, sharpen planes, chisels, drills and any other small tools. A wonderful value at the price, 98c, which is only good during the demonstration.

We have other Luther Grinders, too—different styles for different uses, hand, foot and power operated. Ask us about them.

You'll find our Hardware stock up-to-date in every way. We carry goods with a quality reputation and sell at right prices.

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129 S. Fourth Street

MAYOR THREATENED SO IS CITY HALL

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Mayor Mitchell yesterday received a threatening letter signed "Canada" which caused extra police details to be placed about the city hall to guard against possible attempts to blow up the building. The letter warned the mayor that the city hall might be destroyed by fire any day this week.

SENDS NOMINATIONS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—President Wilson on Wednesday nominated Orrin M. Lane of Watertown, to be register of the land office at Rapid City, South Dakota.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

THIS is the caution applied to the public announcement of Castoria that has been manufactured under the supervision of Chas. H. Fletcher for over 30 years—the genuine Castoria. We respectfully call the attention of fathers and mothers when purchasing Castoria to see that the wrapper bears his signature in black. When the wrapper is removed the same signature appears on both sides of the bottle in red. Parents who have used Castoria for their little ones in the past years need no warning against counterfeits and imitations, but our present duty is to call the attention of the younger generation to the great danger of introducing into their families spurious medicines.

It is to be regretted that there are people who are now engaged in the nefarious business of putting up and selling all sorts of substitutes, or what should more properly be termed counterfeits, for medicinal preparations not only for adults, but worse yet, for children's medicines. It therefore devolves on the mother to scrutinize closely what she gives her child. Adults can do that for themselves, but the child has to rely on the mother's watchfulness.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*.

Noted Men Chicago Chef Tried to Poison



EX-MAJOR CARTER HARRISON OF CHICAGO.

Archbishop GEO. W. MUNDELEIN

ROGER C. SULLIVAN.



Would your skin stand this test?

The bright lights of an evening gathering show up mercilessly the defects of a poor complexion. But the regular use of

Resinol Soap

makes it as easy to have a naturally beautiful skin as to cover up a poor one with cosmetics. It lessens the tendency to pimples, redness and roughness, and in a very short time the complexion usually becomes clear, fresh and velvety.

In severe or stubborn cases, Resinol Soap should at first be used by a little Resinol Ointment. All druggists sell them.

Men with tender faces find that Resinol Shaving Stick prevents irritation.

SPOTLIGHTS

TED DALLEY STOCK

"The County Sheriff" was the offering at the matinee this afternoon, and those that attended the opening performance of "The County Sheriff" are loud in their praise of company and play. "The County Sheriff" is just a comedy of the very best kind, a smile which breaks into a laugh and ends in a roar of hearty wholesome laughter. The company puts the show over from the very beginning. Ted Dalley, Miss Wimmer, Miss Stewart, Mr. Price, Mr. Miner, Miss Valley all are great in their respective parts. It is seldom that a stock company can even play comedy acceptable, but the Ted Dalley company put this one over with a scream.

"The County Sheriff" is a comedy with a plot, not one of those nonsensical rapid plays that makes one wonder what they have seen after it is over, but a play that those that see it once will want to see again. The scenic equipment given the play by carpenters and the scenic artists is

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EXPERT RECITES DEBTS AGAINST POOR HIGHWAYS

They Are Economically Wasteful and Stunt Social Life of Community Says Prof. E. A. Ross

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 17.—Nineteen economic costs and twelve social disadvantages as a result of bad roads were mentioned by Prof. Edward A. Ross of the University of Wisconsin in his address on "The Social Congress" at the university this afternoon.

More than three times as great traction is required on a common dirt road than on a macadamized road, according to Prof. Ross. Roads impassable for considerable part of the year, delays, breakdowns, and other inconveniences on account of bad stretches of road, and excessive wear and tear on harness and vehicles are some of the other costs. Narrow tires and rutty roads go hand in hand, thinks Prof. Ross, because if there were no rutty roads, there would be no motive for making tires so narrow.

"Either market towns will have to be closer together, i. e., more numerous, or else farmers further from town must fall behind in prosperity and intelligence. The evil works itself out in both directions. The division of labor among farmers is not what it might be. Those who would like to specialize on stock feeding, for example, are discouraged by the difficulty of hauling hay and corn even a few miles. The inferior processes of the neighborhood grist-mill are enabled to compete with the superior processes of the great flour mills—all because of bad roads.

Besides these economic costs, there are certain social costs occasioned by bad roads. There are fewer rural delivery routes—fewer daily papers taken by the farmer—less attention to prices and markets for farm products and comparative backwardness of rural population. Attendance of farmers' children in town high schools, church facilities and church attendance, and all kinds of social gatherings are lessened.

WOULD EXEMPT PURE SIRS

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 17.—The next legislature may be asked to pass a law exempting pure bred sires from taxation. At a meeting of the Wisconsin Livestock association just held here a resolution directing an investigation of the exemption taxation plan was adopted. The association also passed a resolution for the appointment of a committee of the association to secure all possible information on livestock marketing centers.

excellent, the ship scene aboard the "Steamer Bermuda" being one of the prettiest that has ever been offered in stock. The costumes worn by the ladies and gentlemen of the company were the most beautiful worn by any company playing this city. For two hours of good solid clean amusement see "The County Sheriff."

PROMINENT CITIZENS SAY THEY EXPECT CROWDING IN CARS

Defense Puts on Several Witnesses Who Endorse the Street Car System

VALIER TELLS OF EQUIPMENT

Company Has Twenty Motor Cars in Service; Only One Open Motor Car and Eight Trailers

Opinions of several prominent citizens, including Peter Valier, superintendent of the company, that the service rendered by the Wisconsin Railway Light and Power company is adequate for the public needs was the chief item in the opening of the street car company's defense at the afternoon session of the railroad commission hearing in the city hall yesterday. T. H. Spence, Alfred James, O. C. Parker, P. J. Yerly, T. W. Burns and John C. Kroner were called to the stand, and questioned briefly by George H. Gordon, attorney for the company. He asked each if the service in La Crosse did not compare favorably with that in other cities.

Mr. Spence said he thought the service was pretty good, although on cross-examination he said he used the street cars with frequency only in the summer afternoons when he went to play golf.

Mr. Parker, manager of the Star-Rite engine company, said the service was much superior to that in Racine, and seemed adequate as far as he was concerned. He said he could offer no suggestion for improvement.

P. J. Yerly said the service is adequate. He said crowding was to be expected at rush hours. Mr. Burns said the service was "reasonably sufficient," but he said there was room for a few improvements, such as larger cars and removal of the stoves. Mr. Gordon said he had twelve other witnesses to testify along the same line, but that he did not believe it necessary to call any more.

Before the defense opened, City Attorney Higbee had been questioning residents of the north side about their service. Every witness who testified said that the power on the north side lines is very uncertain. It

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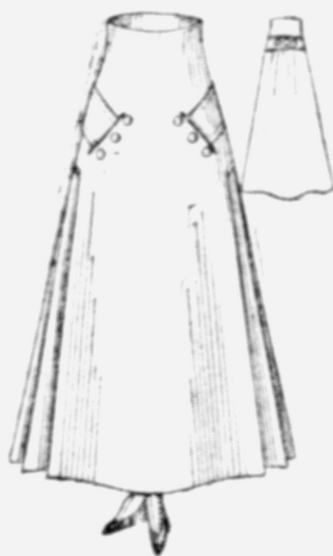
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Y. M. C. A. Handicap
Class A—Schweizer, 399, defeated Foz, 50, 399-74.
Class B—Schulze, 59, defeated Keeler, 65, 59-43.
One of the saddest sights is the has-been who knows he is.

HIGH SECONDS FALL TO INDEPENDENTS

The high school seconds were overwhelmed last night by the Independents 25 to 6 in a game of basket ball played in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. The Independents are composed of ex-college and university men.

VOLLEY BALL

Piepers, 21, 11; Schweizers, 8, 19; Rouerges, 13, 21; Morgans, 7, 9.
At that, it is preferable to exchange harsh words rather than bricks, or rolling pins and trying pans.

"Y" HAS FOURTH ATHLETIC MEET

Athletes of the Y. M. C. A. await the start of the fourth monthly senior athletic meet to be held in the association gymnasium this evening. Events will be: one lap track, 18-foot rope climb, 880-yard run and running high jump. Upwards of thirty men are entered.

SPORTS

NORMAL CHAMPIONS OF IOWA BEATEN BY NORMAL TEAM

Sputh's Shooters Land on Champions of Hawkeye
Conference in 36 to 24 Score

DUBUQUE, Iowa, Feb. 17.—(Special.)—La Crosse normal, state normal school champions of Wisconsin, last night decisively defeated Dubuque German college and Seminary, champions of the Hawkeye conference, 36 to 24. The game was replete with sensational playing, both teams realizing that on the outcome depended the virtual normal school championship of two states.

JOHNSONTEMPORARY OWNER OF INDIANS

League Prexy Holds Club Until Chicago Contractors Take Over Holdings

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 17.—President Ban Johnson of the American league, is temporary owner of the Cleveland Indians. Johnson took over the club from the bankers' committee handling the affairs of Charles W. Somers, pending action of James C. Dunn and P. S. McCarthy of Chicago, railroad contractors, who will shortly purchase the club. Dunn will own sixty per cent of the stock. With orders from Dunn to buy any players in sight that would strengthen the club, Johnson was due to arrive in New York today. Johnson will have the sale of the Indians endorsed by the American league meeting starting today. The formal transfer of the club will not be made until next week.

P. S. McCarthy, Dunn's business partner will be one of the stockholders and probably Major W. R. Miller, Cleveland, attorney. The sale price is reported to be \$500,000.

These are the players Johnson is after to strengthen the Indians: Either First Baseman Chick Gandil of Washington, or First Baseman Ivan Howard of the St. Louis Browns; Catcher Tom Daly of the Chicago White Sox and the best seasoned pitcher any American league magnate will put on the market. Lee Fohl will be retained as manager.

TOURNEY POSTPONED BAD WEATHER CAUSE

Ski Meet at West Salem Is Postponed Indefinitely Because of Warm Weather

WEST SALEM, Wis., Feb. 17.—Warm weather and a light mist today caused the indefinite postponement of the ski tournament scheduled for today in Netzel's hill said Edward P. Sprain of the executive committee of the tournament management. Jumpers who were to appear were notified late yesterday of the condition of the slide and the postponement.

BOWLING

CITY LEAGUE Standings			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Gunds	37	11	.771
Nelsons	26	16	.619
Eagles	29	19	.604
Leader-Press	22	23	.489
Studebakers	19	26	.422
Postmen	20	28	.417
Maders	17	31	.354
Roths	16	32	.327
Gunds			
Fred Affeldt	213	137	156
Roehner	154	175	201
Henry Affeldt	298	165	191
Herman Affeldt	176	147	155
O. Ulrich	147	229	215
Handicaps	20	20	20
Total	918	864	938
Roths			
Lapitz	145	145	181
Roth	193	156	177
Ott	139	150	149
Keeler	149	207	133
Bruba	147	138	164
Handicaps	63	63	63
Totals	877	863	887
K. C. LEAGUE Standings			
	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Hennepins	27	9	.750
La Salles	24	9	.727
Marquettes	25	14	.641
Balboas	13	26	.333
Magellans	13	29	.309
De Sotos	12	27	.308
Marquettes			
Goshey	169	167	169
Ryan	150	144	133
Guenther	166	158	183
Whalen	126	118	119
Miller	223	128	169
Totals	834	725	764
De Sotos			
Young	170	161	138
Gautsch	174	142	135
Downey	104	172	129
Haun	159	173	129
Frish	126	118	119
Totals	733	766	650



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AMERICAN LEAGUE SCHEDULE IS OUT

The Younger Circuit Opens
Play April 12 and
Closes on October 4

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—The American league 1916 schedule, announced today, sets the date for cracking open the season at April 12, the same day the Nationals open, and the final games October 4, one day earlier than the last game in the National circuit.

Opening games are announced as follows:

Detroit at Chicago.
St. Louis at Cleveland.
Washington at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.

Chicago will play at Detroit, Cleveland at St. Louis, Philadelphia at New York, and Washington at Boston in Decoration day double-headers.

July 4 games will be as follows: St. Louis at Chicago.
Detroit at Cleveland.
New York at Washington.
Boston at Philadelphia.

Chicago at St. Louis, Cleveland at Detroit, Philadelphia at Washington and Boston at New York is the Labor day schedule.

SPIRITED RECEPTION DUE NORMAL TEAM

After Winning Two Games in Dubuque Shooters Play Rochester "Y" Tomorrow

One of the greatest homecoming demonstrations ever accorded a normal school team was expected today when Dr. Sputh's state champions return from a triumphal two-game trip to Dubuque. The team defeated St. Joseph's college Tuesday night 23 to 21 and last night landed on Dubuque college, champions of the Hawkeye conference, 36 to 24.

Rochester Y. M. C. A. which was defeated earlier in the season at Rochester, plays here tomorrow night at 7:15.

Willard Has Awful Time Dodging Nuts

World's Champ Whose Fight With Moran Has Been Postponed Has Many Chances to Sell Name

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Jess Willard nursed a cold and thoughts of vengeance today while he plugged up his ears with cotton and told the hired girl to shoot the nuts away from his Rogers park residence.

Somebody let the public in on the champion's telephone number and address today and bugs of various sorts beset the house, trying to sell or give him something or buy his name for use on toilet powder, freckle cream, or cigarettes.

The champion, still suffering from his cold, plans to stick close to the house until late next week, when he will leave for New York to start training in earnest for his \$67,000 ten round bout with Frank Moran, March 25.

Tom Jones told Jess that the bout will draw 12,900 persons and that the receipts will reach \$145,000.

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